

## CHURCH FIGHTS ASTOR MARRIAGE TO YOUNG GIRL

Ministers of All Denominations Call It Height of Indecency and a National Disgrace

## AGAINST TENETS OF CHURCH

Innocent Young Girl Sold to Aid Social Climbers Reach Dazzling Goal

## NO ENOUGH TO BE FATHER

Millionaire Divorced from Wife Within Year; Is 47 and Girl Younger Than Son

High Society Scored  
Striking utterances of Rev. Dr. George Chalmers Richmond of Philadelphia, pastor of St. John's Episcopal church, leading agitation to prevent Colonel John Jacob Astor being remarried by an ordained minister. John Jacob Astor is a communicant in our church and his remarriage affects the integrity and vitality of Episcopalianism. "The Force family appear to be simply climbers dazzled by the Astor millions. "Our women are responsible for the scandals, divorces and demoralization of American society. "American women are money mad. "American women hunger and thirst for limelight, even through a scandal. They have the home only to sleep in. "J. P. Morgan cannot help his friend, J. J. Astor, because Morgan is on record as opposed to divorce. "Those who inherit their wealth are the worst. "The Goulds, the Astors, the Drexels, they furnish grist for the divorce mills, materials for the scandal factories. "Only in America can women be found who sell themselves and children to the highest bidder."

NEW YORK, Aug. 8.—Whether the great wealth and social position of Col. John Jacob Astor will be sufficient for him to obtain permission of the council of bishops of the Episcopal church for his remarriage has agitated social circles here today as never before. On the decision may hinge the future attitude of the Episcopal church as the element opposing the marriage, headed by Rev. Dr. George Chalmers Richmond, pastor of St. John's Episcopal church in Philadelphia, today insisted that he will place every church dignitary, who sanctions the wedding, on public record. Bishop Suffragan Charles S. Burch of the Episcopal diocese of New York, who is a conservative in all things, admitted today that the question of sanctioning Colonel Astor's wedding was most momentous. He also threw some light on the church regulations, insisting that unless the colonel can convince the church council that he was the innocent party to the divorce action his marriage can hardly be sanctioned. The divorce action was prosecuted by Mrs. Astor, and the decree forbids Astor to remarry in this state, while granting that right to Mrs. Astor. Infidelity is the only ground for divorce in New York.

## CHURCH OPPOSES ASTOR'S MARRIAGE

In discussing the coming Astor-Force wedding today, Bishop James Schwabach of the diocese of La Crosse, declared that under the rules of the Catholic church such a wedding would not be permitted. "The girl," he went on, "is evidently willing to sell herself for money and social position, but her marriage, inasmuch as Astor was recently divorced, would not be recognized by the church. We do not sanction divorce, and a legal divorce does not annul a marriage as far as we the church are concerned. If either party to a divorce marries again, the wedding is not recognized as lawful by the church. "I believe, however," he added, "that the Episcopal church permits marriage after a divorce by the innocent party. I understand that both Astor and Miss Force are members of the Episcopal church."

Church is Opposed  
The majority of the bishops and ministers of the Episcopal church are unalterably opposed to divorced persons remarrying at all, although the laws of the church do not prohibit absolutely such marriages," explained

## CLIMB MT. M'KINLEY



MISS DORA KEEN.

Miss Dora Keen, daughter of the famous surgeon, Dr. W. W. Keen, who is equipping an expedition to attempt the ascent of Mt. McKinley in Alaska. For several summers past Miss Keen has been climbing in Switzerland and she will employ Swiss guides in her attempt to scale the highest peak in America.

## PERKINS MEMORY PROVES ELUSIVE

Hard for Morgan Lieutenant to Recall Steel Trust's Activities in Politics

WASHINGTON, Aug. 8.—Pursuing the elusive memory of George W. Perkins, former chief lieutenant of J. P. Morgan, around the inside "story of steel," the Stanley investigating committee today bared the political activities of the Steel trust. The chief mate of the big Morgan financial craft wriggled and squirmed, but Chairman Stanley, armed with the voluminous books of the Steel corporation, nailed him down to the facts of the record. Even confronted with the evidence of political contributions and contributions to public "educational" works on the protective tariff system, Perkins could only remember "generally," but he was forced reluctantly to identify the records as to details.

## Cited For Contempt

George W. Perkins, former chief lieutenant for J. P. Morgan, was late this afternoon ordered by Chairman Stanley of the Steel committee to answer before the bar of the house for "conduct utterly in contempt of the steel committee and its authority." Perkins refused, on advice of Counsel Lindabury, to answer all questions as to his own personal campaign contributions and those of corporations with which he was connected.

## DEMOCRATS HAD A FIELD DAY

The democrats had a field day in proving that the Steel trust supported the republican tariff doctrine. It was brought out that only last spring the trust contributed money to publish and disseminate George B. Curtis' "Prosperity and Protection," that in 1902 and 1903 the Steel corporation was contributing \$2,000 a year to the Protective Tariff league. Th "Welfare Fund" of the Steel trust which the steel magnates have testified was for "social and political work and for furthering the health and comfort of employees," was the fund to which such contributions would be charged, according to Perkins. But he could remember no specific instances. "The record and Perkins' admissions were not put into the evidence without a fight. When Perkins saw the trend of things, he became irritated. His attorney, Edgar A. Bancroft, and the Steel trust counsel, Richard V. Lindabury, joined in the protest. But Stanley overruled all objections.

## BLACKRUST NOT FOUND

WINNIPEG, Man., Aug. 8.—Despite constantly repeated rumors of blackrust in the grain province, Superintendent McKillop of the Manitoba experimental farm, today cut a large acreage of wheat on low land and no trace of the rust was shown. It is hot and wet in the grain provinces today.

## LA FOLLETTE WILL LAND FIRST LICK

Plans to Deliver Speech on Reciprocity in Milwaukee Before Taft Speaks

## MAY BE DURING FAIR WEEK

Progressive League Will Meet on Day "Little Bob" Talks; to Be State Wide

MILWAUKEE, Wis., Aug. 8.—Senator La Follette, it is reported, has decided to put another one over on his particular foe, President Taft. The Wisconsin senator will speak in Milwaukee prior to the time that President Taft delivers his address here at the dairy show. Thus the city is assured of hearing both sides of the reciprocity question and, what is more important to La Follette, of hearing Little Bob's side of the question first.

## Date Not Settled

When the La Follette meeting will be held cannot be said. It was the original intention to hold it state fair week, but it may be held later, as during the discussion of the subject at the meeting of the Progressive league it was declared probably there would be less to detract from the meeting if it were held at some time later than state fair week. Should this be decided upon it will be held some time the last week in September.

## Fair Board to Invite

It is said the desired invitation for Senator La Follette to speak here on fair week will be extended by the state fair board. It is likely, however, that should the senator speak at the state fair it would only be a short address and that his main speech would be in the Auditorium in the evening, as it is understood that his close friends desire that his discussion of reciprocity shall be at an indoor meeting.

## League to Meet

There will be a meeting of the Progressive league on the day Senator La Follette speaks. It is intended that his address also shall be a state-wide meeting and progressives from all over the state will be invited to come to Milwaukee on that day to listen to the speech. It is said the proposed meeting of the progressives here to make organization plans will be held whether or not he La Follette speech is made at a later date.

## POPE IS IN BAD WAY

LEARNED TODAY THAT AGED PONTIFF HAS HAD MORE FAINTING SPELLS THAN MADE PUBLIC

ROME, Aug. 8.—There was no noticeable improvement today in the condition of the pope. Despite the efforts to minimize the seriousness of his condition, deep anxiety prevails at the Vatican. It was learned authoritatively today that the aged pontiff has had more fainting spells than have been made public. That the pontiff's spirits are affected by his illness is evident from the fact that recently he has appeared greatly depressed and seldom smiles.

## LONDON, Aug. 8.—A special from

Rome to the London Times this afternoon says that the pope passed a bad night and that his condition today is anything but reassuring.

## POSSES EXPECT BATTLE

ST. CLOUD, Cal., Aug. 8.—A sheriff's posse today is hunting Harry Mitchell, charged with murder, and his brother, who have taken refuge in the Sacramento canyon. A battle is expected when the posse catches up with the Mitchell brothers, as they are heavily armed and desperate. Elmer Mitchell killed Harry Ryan last night when Ryan remonstrated with Mitchell for swearing in the presence of Ryan's wife.

## REAPPORTMENTMENT SIGNED

WASHINGTON, Aug. 8.—President Taft today signed the reapportionment bill, fixing the membership of the next house of representatives at 433.

## TO SEINERS, FISHERMEN and SPORTSMEN

You know that the game fish are rapidly disappearing from the Mississippi. You know that the main cause of this is the seining of minnows by state and federal crews, for shipment to other waters. The Tribune is making a fight to put a stop to this. In order to do so we must have specific facts. If you know of cases where these crews have seined minnows in bays, creek mouths and bayous from which they could have found their way back to the river, or if you know of cases in which these crews have left minnows to perish on the ground, please notify this office at once. Write, telephone, or call and see us. Address, "The Tribune," "La Crosse," "Wisconsin."

## MANY TO ATTEND MONSTER PICNIC

Grocers' and Merchants' Associations to Unite in Big Outing Thursday, August 10

## A FINE ATHLETIC PROGRAM

"Stunts" of All Kinds have Been Arranged and the Event Promises to Be Success

Thursday, August 10, the La Crosse Retail Grocers' association and the local Retail Merchants' association will unite in holding what promises to be the biggest picnic ever held by similar organizations in this city.

Arrangements have been made by Secretary Harry Taggart to accommodate a mammoth crowd at Dakota park and expectations are for a record breaking attendance.

Every detail has been arranged for the comfort of the picnickers and special attention has been given to the transportation facilities. The steamer La Crosse and barge will leave on the first trip to the grounds at 8 o'clock from the levee at the foot of Main street and two more trips will be made, one at 10 o'clock and the last at 12:30 o'clock. Everyone is urged to make the trip on the early boat.

At the grounds tables and chairs will be supplied for all and free coffee will be served.

The old Kreutz band, under the leadership of Prof. George Bahner, will furnish the music and this feature alone will attract many to the big celebration.

In the afternoon a remarkably good athletic program will be given, the feature of which will be a baseball game between the north side business men and a team composed of south side merchants and grocers. Following this event athletic contests of various kinds will be held and to the winners valuable prizes will be awarded.

## STRIKERS IN CONTROL

TWO LARGEST SHIPPING PORTS IN ENGLAND COMPLETELY TIED UP BY FREIGHT HANDLERS' STRIKE

LONDON, Aug. 8.—With the freight of her two biggest shipping ports completely tied up, England is in the grip of a strike that is daily becoming more felt throughout Great Britain. In Liverpool the docks are piled high with freight and 5,000 railway freight handlers are on a strike. In London there was almost a complete cessation of work today on the miles of wharves and docks. About 180 ships are waiting to be loaded or unloaded.

The dock workers again today refused to return to work until the strike of the teamsters, of whom some 35,000 are out, also is settled.

Apprehensive of resentment by the strikers to the employment of soldiers in connection with the movement of supplies for the army, police reserves were on hand early today. A conference was held this afternoon between a committee of shipping masters and representatives of various unions.

## BURGLAR KILLS POLICEMAN

ST. LOUIS, Mo., Aug. 8.—Police-man Cornelius D. O'Keefe, considered one of the bravest and most efficient police men on the force, died today from the effects of a bullet wound over the heart, inflicted by a negro burglar whom O'Keefe surprised trying to break into a candy store seven hours before. O'Keefe is the policeman who found Mrs. Max Judell dying in the alley back of the Vendome hotel, a week ago. He was able only to mutter "black man, full grown," before his death.

## AGED MILWAUKEEAN DEAD

MILWAUKEE, Wis., Aug. 8.—When Mrs. Joseph Beddinger went into her garden today she found the body of her uncle, Frank de Bruine, 91. According to the coroner, who investigated, the aged man fell from a second story bedroom overlooking the garden some time during the night. His skull was fractured.

## CHURCH OPPOSES ASTOR WEDDING



JOHN JACOB ASTOR AND HIS FIANCEE, MISS FORCE.

Col. John Jacob Astor and his fiancée, Miss Madeline Talmage Force, as they were leaving her home in New York. This is the first picture taken of the happy pair whose engagement has brought surprise to two continents.

## STRIKE MANDATE MAY BE DROPPED

Des Moines Street Car Company May Not Fight Injunction in Court

DES MOINES, Iowa, Aug. 8.—Judge DeGraff's mandatory injunction, issued Sunday night, directing the street car company to return the 500 striking car men to work and ordering the car men back to their cars, may never be fought in earnest in the courts by the company, although there are rumors that a motion will be filed today to set aside the order on the ground of no jurisdiction.

Street car officials refuse to talk and labor officials say it is the company's move. One element thinks the company will carry the case to the highest courts, hoping to get an opinion affirming it, so that corporations can in the future use such injunctions to force strikers to work.

The three-year contract between the company and its car men, under the provisions of which Judge DeGraff issued his celebrated order, expires Oct. 11 and many think the car company will serve the required sixty days notice to the union that the contract will not be renewed, break off negotiations and discharge all the men when the contract expires. The injunction would die a natural death without ever having been contested in court, or ruled upon by a higher court. The company could then discharge its union men as individuals and put non-union men to work.

## SAGE SAVIOR DEAD

MAN WHO SAVED MILLIONAIRE'S LIFE DIES CRIPPLED, PENILESS AND UNREWARDED IN "HOME"

NEW YORK, Aug. 8.—Penniless, and almost friendless, an inmate of the home for incurables, William R. Laidlaw, who, as a small salaried clerk, was used as a shield to save the life of Russell Sage, died today. The aged millionaire escaped unharmed while a bomb, thrown by Henry W. Norcross of Boston, December 4, 1891, inflicted 180 wounds in Laidlaw, the injuries being such that he changed from a stalwart athlete to an incurable invalid.

Laidlaw was never recompensed by Sage. The millionaire always contended that he did not use him as a shield and appeals to the law only served to start litigation that, after lasting many years, was finally terminated because Laidlaw could not pay his lawyers, while the Sage attorneys were still invoking every technicality. One jury gave a verdict of \$40,000, but it was set aside.

After his money gave out Laidlaw was supported by his two sisters, who shared their meagre earnings with him. The girls managed to keep a home for their brother until last June, when the struggle became too much and they had to send him to the home for incurables.

## GENERAL GORDON DYING

MEMPHIS, Tenn., Aug. 8.—General George B. Gordon, commander-in-chief of the United Confederate veterans, ill at his home for three weeks, is in a critical condition today. Fears that he cannot survive many hours were expressed by the family upon advice of attending physicians.

## FALL FATAL TO MRS. CLEVELAND

Dies at La Crosse Hospital This Morning After a Lingerin Illness

Mrs. Margaret Jane Cleveland, age 63, 118 North Ninth street, died at the La Crosse hospital at 8 o'clock last evening from pneumonia which resulted from a fall while alighting from a carriage some time ago. Deceased was a widow and has made her home in La Crosse for the last 33 years.

Mrs. Cleveland was born in Pennsylvania and was the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James Shields. She is survived by three daughters, Mrs. Arthur Roberge, 307 North Ninth streets, Mrs. Whitford of Bozeman, Montana, and Miss Bertha Cleveland, who resided with her mother, and a son, James.

The funeral will be held Thursday morning at 10 o'clock from the residence, 118 North Ninth street, with Rev. D. C. Jones officiating. Interment will be made in Oak Grove cemetery.

## BEATEN BY BANDITS

STOREKEEPER AND WIFE TERRIBLY HANDLED BY ROBBERS; MONEY TAKEN FROM STOCKINGS

REVERE, Mass., Aug. 8.—With faces and bodies terribly beaten, their clothes torn off and \$484 stolen from them by masked robbers who held them up early today, Darius Lampert and his wife were taken to a Boston hospital in a serious condition. The Lamperts own several small stores in Lynn. They left Lynn about midnight in a wagon for East Boston when three men leaped upon them and began beating Lampert. The wife screamed and one of the thieves knocked her down. Her skirt was torn from her and both shoes and stockings ripped off, the robbers seeming to know that in her stocking she had \$484. Lampert was knocked unconscious and the robbers then tore off his shoes and stockings, from one of which they got \$30.

The unconscious couple were placed in the wagon and the horses started toward Lynn. When Lampert revived he drove to Beachmont depot but fainted after telling his story.

## BOYS ATTEMPT TO BURN ORPHANAGE

CHICAGO, Aug. 8.—Oscar Miller, 14, William Brezel, 13, Edward Haur, 12, and Alden Rosen, 11, inmates of the Ulrich Evangelical orphanage, near Lincoln park, today refused to perform their daily task and were denied the usual reward of visiting the park. They decided upon a quick revenge. They went to the attic, carried a mattress to the roof, slashed it open and soaked it with oil stolen from the kitchen. Then, beginning begging matches on the street, they compelled William Bauer, 11, a half-wit, under threats of death, to set the fire. Elmer Swabene, 12, overheard the plot and turned in an alarm. The 150 boys and girls in the institution were thrown into a panic. The blaze was extinguished without great loss.

## OILED ROADS KILL FLIES

LENEX, Mass., Aug. 8.—A local entomologist asserts that the sprinkling of New England roads with oil is gradually exterminating flies which he says carry cholera germs, typhoid and tuberculosis.

## MAY GET STATE IN OWN NET

State Fish Commission Ignores the Statute

## THAT IS THE CHARGE

River Men Declare State Crews Are Worse Than Federal Crowd

## TRIBUNE INVESTIGATES

River Robbed of Bass to Stock Inland Lakes Without Regard to Rules

Residents of Wisconsin living on or near the Mississippi river demand that the state game warden's office proceed immediately to the prosecution of all persons who have engaged in seining bass minnows on the Wisconsin side of the Mississippi channel in a manner contrary to law.

They further demand that unless all minnows rescued by it shall be restored to the Mississippi river the permission granted the United States government to seine minnows in landlocked waters be withdrawn and that the steamer Curlew be directed to cease its operations in these waters.

The Wisconsin state fish commission is engaged in taking bass fingerlings out of the Mississippi river on a scale perhaps nearly as large as that of the United States, operating with the steamer Curlew, and according to statements made to a representative of The Tribune, in an improper manner.

The state commission's status is different from that of the United States commission only in that while the latter operates under a limited permit the former works under the direction of a state statute. The U. S. Curlew is limited by the restrictions of the state game laws; the state crew is limited by the wording of the statute giving it authority.

Moreover, the work of one of both commissions is operating to render black bass extinct in the Mississippi at a rapid rate.

The law under which the state commission operates is Sec. 1498v, Chap. 428, laws of 1909, and is as follows:

"Fish commission: duties. It is hereby made the duty of the commissioner of fisheries to take and remove from all landlocked sloughs, bays, lakes, and bayous adjacent to the Mississippi river, all small fish and minnows WHICH MAY HAVE

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## WEATHER

\* For La Crosse and vicinity: Generally fair tonight and Wednesday with moderate temperature. For Wisconsin: Generally fair tonight and Wednesday; not much change in temperature. For Minnesota: Showers this afternoon and tonight with cooler north and west portions; Wednesday fair with cooler east portion. For Iowa: Generally fair tonight and Wednesday; not much change in temperature.

## Weather Notes

The storm central in northern Minnesota Monday morning has moved into Ontario and another depression is central in the northern plains states. These pressure movements have caused moderate showers from the north Pacific states eastward to the lake region and in the central Mississippi valley. The temperature has not changed materially in any section. Generally fair weather is indicated for this section tonight and Wednesday without much change in temperature.

Station	Flood stage	Height	24-hour change
St. Paul	.....	1.6	-0.1
Red Wing	.....	0.2	0.0
Reeds Landing	.....	-0.3	0.0
La Crosse	.....	1.0	-0.1
Pr. du Chien	.....	1.1	....

The river stages will not change materially during the next 48 hours.



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At J. E. Willing's Store

**BASE BALL TOMORROW**

LA CROSSE VS. WINONA

Game Called at 3:00

**DIAMOND DUST**

They CAN come back!

Joe Tinker, reinstated, got four hits, stole home once, scored thrice, drove in four other runs, handled nine fielding chances and took part in two swirling double plays.

Tinker, be it remembered, is the man Frank Chance suspended for the balance of the season for "in-different playing."

But they do not ALWAYS come back.

"Peerless" Christy Mathewson is getting used to being licked, almost anybody being able to pull off that stunt this year.

Although Chalmers of the Phillies gave the Pirates only three hits, he donated six bases on balls and lost his game, 2 to 1.

History may repeat itself and it should occasion no very great surprise to see Fred Clarke's men hoist a championship pennant instead of a black flag.

Both Roger Bresnahan and Bud William Dahlen were put off the field for disputing with the umpires in the Brooklyn-St. Louis affair.

Before being bounced Bresnahan had been hit on the foot by a foul tip and later reports indicate that a bone was broken, putting the doughy manager out of the game for the balance of the season.

What were real games were noted in Philadelphia, the White Sox coming out at the bottom end of each. Hard on the White Sox, but pleasing to the Athletics.

It seems the only reason the Yankees keep in the first division is because the White Sox, playing more double-headers, can lose games faster.

"Cobb wins game for Tigers" reads a headline in the morning papers. That is a feat absolutely unworthy of comment; only exceptional events cause discussion and interest.

Lajoie, too, must have taken a correspondence school course of instruction in the gentle art of "returning." Just four hits, three of which were two baggers and one a home run, were his lot.

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BASEBALL—RACING—PUGILISM—MOTORING—BOATING

**BONDIES LOSE THEIR HOODOO**

Locals Break Losing Streak by Defeating the Leaders; Poor Support Decides Game

**KERNAN STARS WITH CLUB**

Outcast Makes Two Doubles Off McNeil; Watson Keeps the Hits Well Scattered

The La Crosse Outcasts broke the losing streak by defeating the Winona Pirates yesterday afternoon 4 to 6. Horse play on the part of the visiting club sent two of the six runs over in the fifth inning. The Killianites outslugged the locals but also took the lead in the error column with the result that the Bondies won after losing eight straight.

Winona got off in the lead, making their first run in the second inning but this was doubled by the Bondies in the third and the Outcasts continued to hold the lead throughout although the Killianites made a desperate rally in the eighth nearly overtaking the lead of the locals.

Watson did the wing stunt, holding the Pirates to nine hits. In the eighth Ginger weakened, allowing four safe bingles but with the exception of this round, the southpaw had the visitors at his mercy. McNeil had everything up his sleeve yesterday, but allowed the Bondies to hit at critical points of the game. During the seven innings that he did the box work, he allowed the locals but four hits.

Kernan, who was forced to play center garden, owing to an injured shoulder, started with the club, landing for two doubles. Kelly was a close second with a couple of bingles.

Collins opened the second inning with a single and went to second on a sacrifice hit by Curtis. Leifheit then hit a grounder to short and was thrown out at the initial sack. Bond threw to catch Collins but sent the sphere wide of the mark with the result that the Pirates registered.

A single by Klein, a walk by Malloy, a fielder's choice by Kelly and a double by Kernan netted the Outcasts two runs in the third frame. In the fifth McNeil opened with a double and was sacrificed to third by Graves. Bewer then hit to left garden and McNeil scored on the out, tying the score.

In the fifth McNeil's support deserted him, making a total of three bad errors, which with two hits, sent three runs over the plate, giving the Bondies a safe lead.

In the first of the eighth Graves opened with a single. Collins struck out. Curtis labeled the sphere for two bases, sending Graves home. Leifheit then sent out a single, scoring Curtis. Swanson followed suit. Killian then sent Daus in to bat for Anderson in an effort to make the tying tally. Daus struck out. Killian then went to the plate for McNeil but only succeeded in hitting an easy grounder to Bond at second and was retired.

A single by Kelly and a double by Kernan in the last of the eighth sent the last run of the game over the plate and brought the score to 6 to 4. Box score:

Winona	R	H	P	A	E
Graves, lf	0	1	0	0	1
Bewer, 2b	0	0	2	1	1
Davey, ss	1	2	3	2	1
Collins, rf	1	2	1	0	1
Curtis, 1b	1	1	6	0	0
Leifheit, 3b	0	1	2	0	0
Swanson, cf	0	1	4	0	0
Anderson, c	0	0	4	2	0
McNeil, p	1	1	0	5	1
Killian, c	0	0	2	0	0
Wagner, p	0	0	0	1	0
xDaus	0	0	0	0	0
Total	4	9	24	11	4
La Crosse	R	H	P	A	E
Klein, rf	1	1	0	0	0
Malloy, lf	1	0	1	0	0
Kelly, 1b	3	2	10	0	0
Kernan, cf	0	2	4	0	0
Black, 3b	0	1	0	5	0
Wais, c	0	0	7	0	0
Bond, 2b	0	0	5	3	2
Snyder, ss	0	0	0	2	0
Watson, p	1	0	0	1	0
Totals	6	6	27	11	2

xDaus batted for McNeil in the eighth.

Score by innings:  
Winona . . . 010010020—4  
La Crosse . . . 00203001x—6  
Summary: Stolen bases—Swanson 2. Sacrifice hits—Graves, Black, Wais. Two base hits—Curtis, McNeil. Kernan 2. Hits—Off McNeil in seven innings, 4; off Wagner in one inning, 2. Base on balls—Off McNeil, 2; off Watson, 3. Struck out—By McNeil, 3; by Wagner, 2; by Watson, 6. Hit by pitched ball—Malloy. Wild pitch—Watson. 2. Time of game—2:00. Umpire—Schuler.

**FOOTBALL PLAYER SHOVELS CONCRETE**

CRAWFORDVILLE, Ind., Aug. 8.—Shoveling concrete and doing other manual labor is the course of training which Robert Vaughan of this city, former champion and full-back of Notre Dame university has prescribed for himself. He is a promising candidate for full back on the Princeton eleven this year and will take this method to get in the best possible shape.

**GIANTS LOSE TO CHICAGO CUBS**

Mathewson Downed by Brown in Twirlers' Battle; Pirates Win from Phillies

**DODGERS CAN'T BEAT CARD'S**

Louies Win with Ease; Boston Swamped; Ty Defeats the Yankees; the Champs Win

**NATIONAL LEAGUE**  
Pittsburg, 2; Philadelphia, 1  
PITTSBURG, Aug. 8.—The Pirates won yesterday's contest by a 2 to 1 score. Chalmers allowed Pittsburg only three hits, two of them being fluky doubles by Wilson and Garner. Notwithstanding his wonderful pitching his game was literally thrown and booted away in the eighth, when Carey scored from second after Moran had pegged wildly to catch him stealing, and Paskert booted the overthrow into center field. Adams pitched fairly good ball and held the crippled Phillies at dangerous stages.  
Score: R H E  
Pittsburg . . . 00010001x—2 3 2  
Philadelphia . . . 00100000—1 8 2  
Batteries: Adams and Gibson; Chalmers and Moran.

Chicago, 8; New York, 6  
CHICAGO, Aug. 8.—In a pitching duel between Brown and Mathewson the former carried off the honors yesterday afternoon and the Cubs beat the Giants by the count of 8 to 6. Brown had much the better support, especially with the bat. Score: R H E  
Chicago . . . 01020203x—8 10 2  
New York . . . 000100122—6 14 2  
Batteries: Brown and Archer; Mathewson and Meyers.

St. Louis, 4; Brooklyn, 3  
ST. LOUIS, Aug. 8.—St. Louis took yesterday afternoon's contest from Brooklyn, 4 to 3, in a poorly played exhibition game. Score: R H E  
St. Louis . . . 20011000x—4 6 2  
Brooklyn . . . 002010000—3 7 2  
Batteries: Steel, Bresnahan and Bliss; Schardt, Scanlon and Bergen.

Cincinnati, 8; Boston, 2  
CINCINNATI, Ohio, Aug. 8.—The Reds took the first game of the Boston series with ease, knocking Mattison out of the box in the third inning and also hitting Hub Purdee freely, score 8 to 2. Score: R H E  
Cincinnati . . . 03101030x—8 16 1  
Boston . . . 000002000—2 8 1  
Batteries: Smith and Clarke; Mattison, Purdee and Kling.

**AMERICAN LEAGUE**

Detroit, 7; New York, 6  
NEW YORK, Aug. 8.—The down-trodden Yanks took another walloping yesterday, the Tigers winning, 7 to 6. Cobb won the game for Detroit in the seventh when he slammed out a double, scoring Stanage, Jones and Bush and trotted home himself on Delehanty's hit to left. Score: R H E  
New York . . . 000420000—6 10 0  
Detroit . . . 100020400—7 12 3  
Batteries: Caldwell and Sweeney; Summers, Works and Stanage.

Washington, 1-6; St. Louis, 0-13  
WASHINGTON, Aug. 8.—The Senators and St. Louis Browns split a double header here yesterday. Groome and Pelty were the principals in a red hot pitching duel in the first game. The former had all the better of it. Score: R H E  
First game—  
Washington . . . 00000100x—1 4 1  
St. Louis . . . 000000000—0 2 2  
Batteries: Groome and Street; Pelty and Stephens.

Second game—  
Washington . . . 000020131—6 13 2  
St. Louis . . . 351020011—13 10 1  
Batteries: Gray, Cashon and Almsmith; George and Krichell.

Philadelphia, 2-3; Chicago, 1-2  
PHILADELPHIA, Aug. 8.—The Chicago White Sox lost two fiercely contested battles to the world's champions yesterday. The first 2 to 1, and the second 3 to 2. In the first game Jim Scott hooked up with Chief Bender in what proved one of the greatest duels of the year. Scores:  
First game—  
Phil. . . 00000000000011—2 9 1  
Chicago . . . 00000000000010—1 7 1  
Batteries: Bender and Thomas; Scott and Payne.

Second game—  
Philadelphia . . . 0010001001—3 9 1  
Chicago . . . 00000002000—2 6 1  
Batteries: Moran and Livingston; Walsh and Sullivan.

Cleveland, 8; Boston, 3  
BOSTON, Mass., Aug. 8.—Cleveland beat Boston in the opening game of the series by a score of 8 to 3. The visitors outbatted and outfielded the home team and found Wood easy. The feature was Lajoie's batting, he getting three two base hits and a home run. Score: R H E  
Boston . . . 100011000—3 11 3  
Cleveland . . . 100006010—8 13 2  
Batteries: Wood and Carrigan; Gregg and Fisher.

**AMERICAN ASSOCIATION**

Toledo, 6; Louisville, 2  
Score: R H E  
Toledo . . . 000000000000—0 12 2  
Louisville . . . 000000000002—2 8 0  
Batteries: James and Carisch; Pfister and Miller.

Columbus, 2; Indianapolis, 3  
Score: R H E  
Columbus . . . 000002000—2 6 1  
Indianapolis . . . 001020000—3 9 1

**STANDING OF THE CLUBS**

Minn League	Won	Lost	Pct.
Winona . . .	55	30	.647
Superior . . .	52	31	.626
Duluth . . .	43	36	.544
Eau Claire . . .	40	45	.471
La Crosse . . .	38	46	.452
Rochester . . .	29	51	.363

American Association	Won	Lost	Pct.
Kansas City . . .	61	47	.565
Minneapolis . . .	62	48	.564
Columbus . . .	58	51	.532
Milwaukee . . .	53	56	.486
St. Paul . . .	52	56	.481
Indianapolis . . .	51	59	.464
Louisville . . .	50	59	.459
Toledo . . .	50	60	.455

American League	Won	Lost	Pct.
Philadelphia . . .	65	35	.650
Detroit . . .	65	36	.644
Boston . . .	53	50	.515
New York . . .	51	50	.505
Chicago . . .	50	50	.500
Cleveland . . .	52	52	.500
Washington . . .	41	63	.394
St. Louis . . .	31	70	.307

National League	Won	Lost	Pct.
Chicago . . .	58	36	.617
Pittsburg . . .	59	38	.608
New York . . .	57	39	.593
Philadelphia . . .	56	41	.577
St. Louis . . .	55	43	.561
Cincinnati . . .	43	53	.448
Brooklyn . . .	37	60	.381
Boston . . .	22	77	.222

Batteries: Lessard and Walsh; Merz and Ritter.

Minneapolis, 0; Kansas City 1  
Score: R H E  
Minneapolis . . . 000000000—0 2 2  
Kansas City . . . 000000010—1 2 0

Batteries: Waddell and Smith; Maddox and O'Connor.

**Wisconsin-Illinois League**

Rockford . . .	51	34	.600
Green Bay . . .	44	38	.537
Madison . . .	46	40	.535
Appleton . . .	44	42	.512
Racine . . .	42	43	.494
Oshkosh . . .	43	45	.489
Aurora . . .	39	51	.433
Fond du Lac . . .	36	52	.409

**GAMES YESTERDAY**

**Minn League**  
La Crosse 6, Winona 4.  
Superior 1, Rochester 1.  
Duluth 5, Eau Claire 4.  
**American Association**  
Milwaukee-St. Paul, rain.  
Kansas City 1, Minneapolis 0.  
Indianapolis 3, Columbus 2.  
Louisville 2, Toledo 0.

**American League**  
Philadelphia 2-3, Chicago 1-2.  
Washington 1-6, St. Louis 0-13.  
Cleveland 8, Boston 3.  
Detroit 9, New York 6.

**National League**  
Chicago 8, New York 3.  
Pittsburg 2, Philadelphia 1.  
St. Louis 4, Brooklyn 3.  
Cincinnati 8, Boston 2.

**Wisconsin-Illinois League**  
Aurora 2-8, Fond du Lac 1-2.  
Madison 2, Appleton 0.  
Oshkosh 5, Racine 0.  
Rockford 6, Green Bay 1.

**GAMES TODAY**

**Minn League**  
Duluth at Eau Claire.  
Superior at Rochester.  
Winona at La Crosse.

**American Association**  
Milwaukee at St. Paul.  
Kansas City at Minneapolis.  
Indianapolis at Columbus.  
Toledo at Louisville.

**American League**  
Chicago at Philadelphia.  
St. Louis at Washington.  
Detroit at New York.  
Cleveland at Boston.

**National League**  
Boston at Cincinnati.  
Brooklyn at St. Louis.  
New York at Chicago.  
Philadelphia at Pittsburg.

**Wisconsin-Illinois League**  
Oshkosh at Racine.  
Fond du Lac at Aurora.  
Green Bay at Rockford.  
Appleton at Madison.

**ONE HUNDRED NOTABLE FIGURES IN BASEBALL****NO. 71—JOHN FARRELL**

The Telegraph Operator Who Received The Message

A telegraph operator sat in an Auburn newspaper office a quarter of a century ago, mechanically setting down the letters and words of a lengthy "take" as they ticked doggedly over the wire. He wasn't screamingly enthusiastic, for it was only a president's message he was transcribing. Then the man at the other end started sending something else. The Auburn operator woke up. The dull faded out of his eyes and his pencil flew over the sheet as if rubbed with the radium of those days. The man leaned eagerly over the instrument, seeking to hurry the words out of the metal receiver, and the rest of the shop cluttered around him to watch John Farrell grab off the report of the baseball game out in Chicago, where Anson's allies were hustling for the pennant.

Farrell was just about the best telegraph operator on baseball that ever sent or received a game. This was because Farrell was a baseball player and enthusiastic by nature and an operator by necessity. When he wasn't dallying with the dots and dashes, he was out on the field, framing up an Auburn team to beat all the other Auburn teams. When he was at the key, he made opportunities for enjoying his favorite sport. If the Washington correspondent of his paper announced 3,000 words of national politics, Farrell would coolly cut him down to a three hundred. If a correspondent queried a 300-word story on a baseball happening, Farrell turned in 3,000 of copy making up the difference himself, out of his wonderful baseball imagination. This course may have been open to criticism, but anyway Farrell never charged his paper with extra telegraph tolls on his additional flourishes.

Farrell was as good a third baseman as he was an operator, and he was Class A in the latter line. And he was a better baseball manager than he was either of the other things. He was an astute student, too. He had noticed that the Auburn street in which his newspaper office was situated was crowded whenever a baseball bulletin went out on the board, but that the citizens were hard to find when a Congressional item was displayed. From this, Master Farrell argued wisely and well.

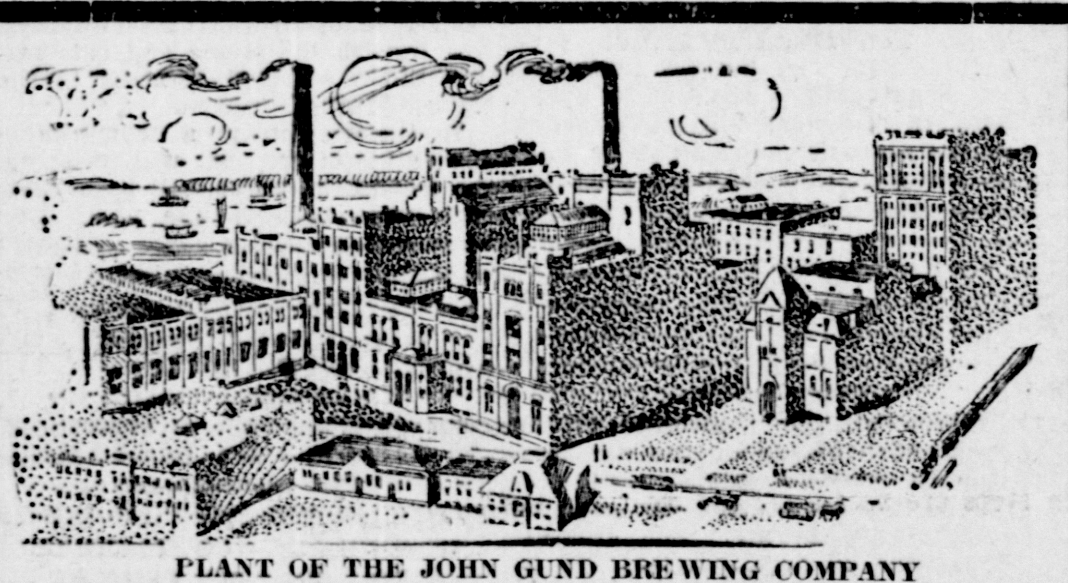
Believing that the tendency of the majority was towards baseball, Farrell specialized in baseball. He reasoned that there was plenty of room for a minor organization, because there are so many smaller cities than big ones. So he talked and talked and worked and worked till the National Association of Professional Baseball Leagues was an actuality, and he was its first secretary.

As chairman of the Board of Arbitration, Farrell settled questions affecting the interests of teams representing literally millions of fans. He has given guidance to an organization made up of nearly forty leagues by the number of clubs in each league, and not how many localities the former telegraph operator has directed. When you mention the name of Farrell, some folk may think you mean Frank, but of course you don't. Frank only owns the Yanks. THE Farrell has offered a list of leagues extending from A to Z, or from the American Association to the Wisconsin-Illinois league. He's THE Farrell.

Tomorrow—Uncle Ben Shibe, who always did what he set out to do.

**ACCIDENTALLY KILLS BROTHER**

GREEN BAY, Wis., Aug. 8.—While showing his younger brother how to shoot birds, Robert Demeny shot Alexander Demeny in the side on Monday in the woods near his home at Sampson. The boy died.

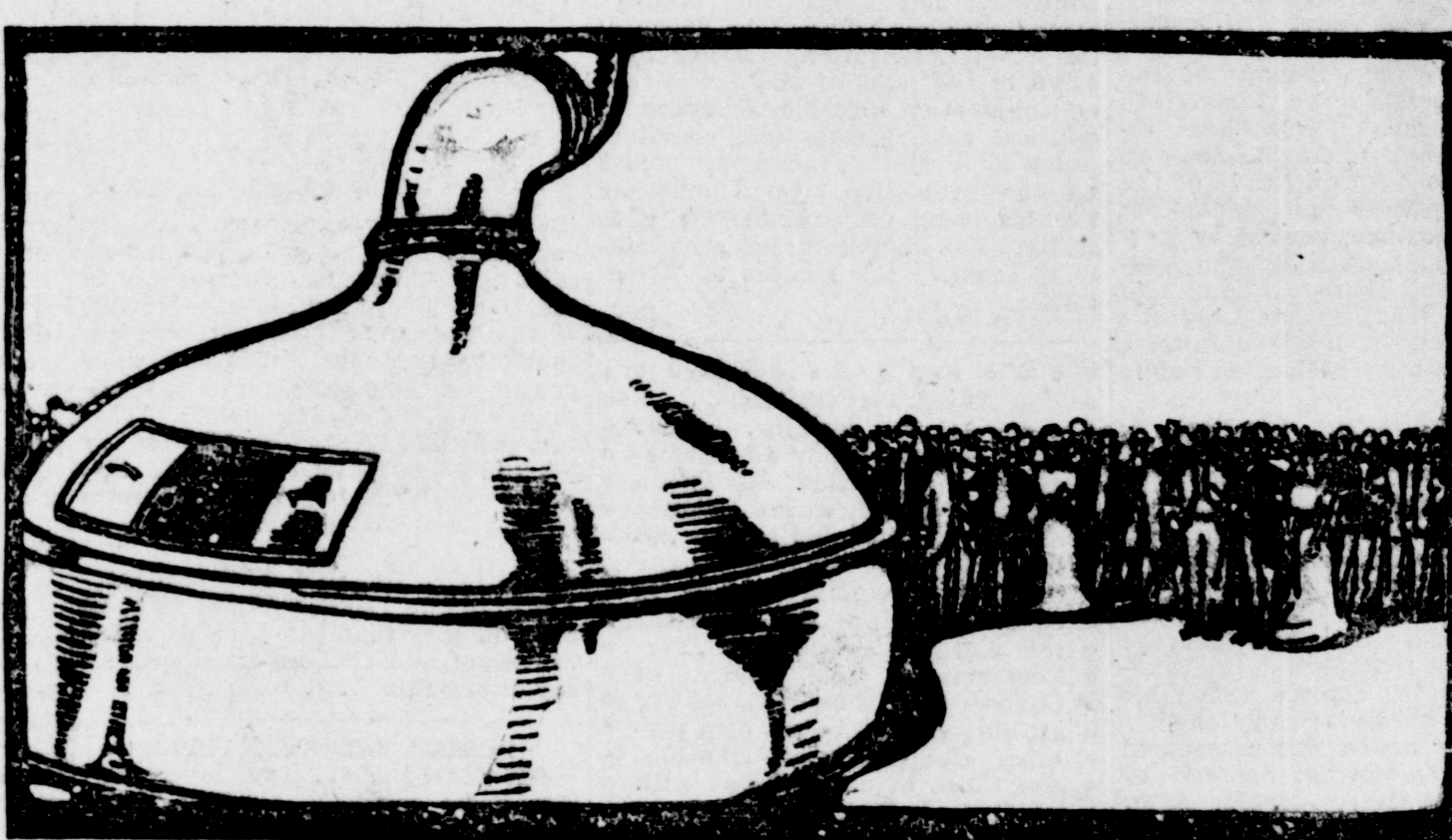


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VALUE OF SHADE TREES

La Crosse is rich in shade trees,  
and in order to further impress their  
value upon its people Park Superin-  
tendent Forrer has asked us to pub-  
lish the following interesting article  
from the Newark, (N. J.) Evening  
News:

The Appellate Division of the New  
York Supreme Court has confirmed a  
judgment of the lower court, fixing  
what may be called a good round  
value on trees in the city.

A construction company doing  
some work on a street found that  
the trees hindered their progress.  
They thereupon cut down the trees  
without so much as considering for  
one moment their value to the own-  
ers' property.

Suit was at once brought against  
the company, the damages being laid  
at \$500 for each tree cut down. The  
plaintiff recovered for the full  
amount as the value of the trees, and  
the court added \$1,000 more for  
punitive damages. It was this ver-  
dict which was carried to the Ap-  
pellate Court and has been sustain-  
ed.

Five hundred dollars may seem  
a large sum for a tree in the city,  
but it must be remembered that the  
value of the tree as kindling wood  
or as lumber, or even as the mater-  
ial for house trim or furniture, is  
not the thing to be considered. The  
tree required many years to grow.  
It not only adorned the property but  
it afforded health, comfort, enjoy-  
ment and protection to its owners.  
Its place, when destroyed, could not  
be filled by another tree inside of  
fifteen, twenty or thirty years, and  
all this time the owners of the prop-  
erty are deprived of its benefits.

When the courts take all these  
facts into consideration, and assess  
construction companies \$500 for  
each large tree willfully destroyed  
by them, trees will be safe and the  
work of shade trees commissions will  
be better protected and more high-  
ly respected.

## SAVE OUR BASS FISHING

In the light of revelations as to the destruction of bass in the Mis-  
sissippi by the United States Fisheries commission and the Wisconsin  
Fisheries commission, there need be no wonder at the indignation of res-  
idents along the river.

What would people who live about our inland lakes, to which the  
state commission is transplanting our Mississippi river bass, say were the  
commission to seine their lakes to replenish the bass in our river?

And is it any more just for the commission to give the lakes our  
bass than it would be for the commission to give our river the bass  
from their lakes?

The taxpayers of this state pay \$60,000 a year to support fish  
hatcheries. Is not that enough to pay for propagating bass for our in-  
land lakes?

The people along the river help pay taxes that go to make up this  
\$60,000 hatchery fund. What have they received in return for it? Has  
the commission ever put a single one of the hundreds of thousands of  
bass minnows that have been propagated with this fund into the Missis-  
sippi river?

No!  
Do you know where the money comes from that pays for seining  
the bass out of the Mississippi and transporting them to the inland  
lakes? Listen to the law:

**The Law**  
"Sec. 1498v, Chap. 428, laws of 1909. Fish commission: du-  
ties. It is hereby made the duty of the commissioner of fisheries  
to take and remove from all land-locked sloughs, bays, lakes, and  
bayous adjacent to the Mississippi river, all small fish and minnows  
WHICH MAY HAVE BEEN CAUGHT AND ARE HELD THERE-  
IN BY REASON OF THE FALLING OF THE WATER, and deposit  
all such small fish and minnows IN THE WATERS OF THE MIS-  
SISSIPPI RIVER, or distribute them in other waters of the state  
of Wisconsin as he shall deem proper and best for the interests of  
the state."

SEC. 1498w—ALL MONEYS RECEIVED FROM LICENSES  
OF ALL KINDS FOR FISHING ON THE MISSISSIPPI RIVER AND  
LAKES PEPIN AND ST. CROIX SHALL BE SET APART AND  
CONSTITUTE A SPECIAL FUND, AND SHALL BE USED EXCLUSIVELY  
FOR THE PURPOSE OF CARRYING OUT THE PROVI-  
SIONS OF THIS ACT.

In other words, the residents of the river section pay taxes  
for the purpose of propagating bass, none of which go to the river,  
but all of which go to inland lakes; on top of this injustice, the  
license money the river valley people pay for fishing in the river  
goes into a special fund used to seine the bass out of the river  
and take them to inland lakes.

There seems ample evidence that in their zeal to capture our bass  
and take them to other places, employees of the State Fisheries  
commission have been careless of the game laws.

If this be true, the agents may be arrested like ordinary wrong-  
doers, and it is no sufficient excuse that the superintendent himself may  
not have had personal knowledge of violations indulged in by men whom  
he has employed.

But the important thing is not revenge. The penal law should be  
invoked only if the game laws are being violated and arrest is neces-  
sary to stop the violations. However, that which is of far more im-  
portance is the adoption of suitable methods to stop the evil and give  
the Mississippi, in the future, a square deal. We believe that were the  
state administration fully advised, it would act upon broad and help-  
ful lines. We presume it may have been the idea of the state fish-  
eries commission that the supply of bass in the Mississippi is inexhaus-  
tible. We hope that such is the commission's realization of the impor-  
tance of fishing in the Mississippi, that did it appreciate the rapidity  
with which the bass is becoming extinct in these waters where for years  
the best bass fly-fishing in the world has been found, it would cease to  
aid the depletion and would hasten to help restore the bass.

If this is to be done, certain steps are necessary, and we make the  
following suggestions:

- (1) Immediately revoke the permit granted the United States offi-  
cials and stop the operations of the Curlew, unless the federal fish-  
eries bureau shall order the Curlew to restore to the Mississippi all fish  
rescued adjacent to it.
- (2) Limit the operations of the rescue workers of the state commis-  
sion strictly to land-locked waters where bass are in danger of perish-  
ing; discontinue the practice of paying private individuals for bass min-  
nows at so much per thousand, in order to remove the temptation to  
surreptitiously seine them out of the open river.
- (3) Order that for a period of ten or at least five years all fish  
rescued by the commission in land-locked waters near the Mississippi  
be restored to the Mississippi river.
- (4) Instruct all game wardens to peremptorily arrest any and  
all persons found violating the game laws by seining minnows, whether  
private citizens or agents of the state or federal government.
- (5) Let the state game warden prosecute a thorough investiga-  
tion, both through official records and upon the fishing grounds, to as-  
certain what the actual practices have been, in order that the depart-  
ment may back its hands with evidence in case a fight is necessary.

## DON'T HUGA DELUSION

Something "Just as Good" An Im-  
possibility.—If Not The Original  
Have Nothing At All.

For a woman to adorn her head  
with false braids, puffs, and rats, or  
a man to wear a topee, is like buy-  
ing an off-brand hair preparation in-  
stead of Newbro's Herpicide. The  
"false hair" and the "off brand" are  
both substitutes for the real thing.  
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be better than any imitation or sub-  
stitute. "Something just as good"  
is a heresy of the rankest kind.

Newbro's Herpicide is the original  
remedy and does as promised. Years  
of success and thousands of satisfied  
users have made it standard. Herpi-  
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the scalp clean and stops falling  
hair. Its proper use before baldness  
appears makes false hair and wigs  
unnecessary.

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chaser gets positive results or his  
money is refunded. It is sold and guar-  
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Applications may be obtained at  
good barber shops and hair dressing  
parlors.

Send 10c in postage for sample  
and book on "The Care of the  
Hair," to The Herpicide Co., Dept.  
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MUGULS BID FOR  
TY COBB'S BROTHER

LINCOLN, Neb., Aug. 8.—The  
rapid development and sensational  
playing of Paul Cobb, Lincoln's right  
fielder and younger brother of the  
famous Ty, has attracted the atten-  
tion of major league moguls, four of  
whom are now bidding for the  
Georgian's release. Comiskey of the  
Chicago Sox is included. Ty's kid  
brother has been going at a speedy  
clip of late. He is batting .325.

## The Unexpected Sneeze

A teacher was giving her small  
charges a lesson in kindness.  
"Now, when you sneeze," she should  
say, "say 'excuse me'."  
There was a moment's silence.  
Then a very small boy put up his  
hand.

"Well, Johnnie?"  
"Please, Ma'am, you should say  
'excuse me' when you sneeze  
at somebody or don't turn away your  
head so quick enough."

## Touching Self-Denial

"I'll give you \$2 a day if you'll  
work for me," said Farmer Cortes-  
sel.

"Boss," answered Plodding Pete,  
"I know puffy well dat all de  
work I'd do wouldn't be worth a  
plugged quarter. I'm tempted, boss,  
but I resist. Although poor, I still  
have a conscience."

## ACTRESS FOUND SLAIN

KANSAS CITY, Mo., Aug. 8.—Formal  
charges were lodged against  
Charles Mowrey, a dry goods packer,  
yesterday, the police announce,  
is connected with the death of Mow-  
rey's wife, a vaudeville actress. Mrs.  
Mowrey was found dead in a room-  
ing house here Saturday, her throat  
cut. A razor lay at her side. The cou-  
ple had recently separated.

Every woman thinks that she  
dresses so well that she can afford  
to neglect her shoes.

Quips and Cranks  
and Wanton Wiles

**"Family's Away"**  
Dirt on the windows;  
Grime on the floors;  
Dust on the table;  
Stains on the door;  
Plants slowly dying;  
"What do you say?"  
"No, nothing's happened;  
Family's away."

Cobwebs on moldings;  
Rugs askew;  
Andirons greasy;  
Picture frames, too;  
Atmosphere stuffy;  
Who wants to stay?  
Seems like a morgue—  
Family's away.

Yes, there it stands, your  
Dining room chair—  
Where you found fault with  
Good bills of fare.  
Don't you feel small? It's  
Always the way  
Perspectives change when  
Family's away.

Remember when you  
Wanted no noise?  
You'd like to hear now  
Dick with his toys;  
And Caroline, too,  
Singing at play.  
Well, what's the use—  
Family's away.

—New York American.

## She Got the Soul

There was a bashful young man  
who was invited to a dinner party  
and was paired with the prettiest  
woman in the room. His seat at  
the table was in front of the roast  
fowl, which he was to carve. And  
there was also a fried sole in front  
of him. And he had never done a  
lick of carving in his life for he was  
a bachelor.

But he made the best of the situa-  
tion by asking the lady at his side  
what she would have.

"A little of the sole," she replied.  
He began to cut off a slice of the  
chicken's breast.

"No, no—the sole," she whispered.  
Now where was the soul of a hen?  
He thought for a minute and then  
attacked the wing.

"The sole, the sole!" cried the la-  
dy.

He looked for the feet, but no  
soles were left, so he tried a drum-  
stick. But she still shook her head  
and said, "No, I only want a piece  
of the sole."

Then did this young man arise in  
his wrath, stick a fork through the  
fowl, and put it all on the woman's  
plate.

"Take it!" he shouted, "take it,  
body, soul and all!"  
Then he helped himself to the  
fish.—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

## The Girl's Handicap

In her pretty new frock sister Ma-  
bel felt quite proud as she sat on  
the front step and watched some  
boys playing on the sidewalk.

After a time one little boy came  
up to talk to her and to admire, in  
his rough little way, her bright,  
shiny eyes and pink sash.

"See my nice square-cut waist,"  
exclaimed the girlie, "and my nice  
coral beads! Don't you wish you  
wuz a girl?"

"No, sir-ee," replied the boy; "I  
wouldn't want to be any girl at all,  
because lookie how much more neck  
you haf to wash!"

## Ample Repaid

There are stories which will stand  
resuscitation and there are stories  
which will not. Personally, I always  
liked this one of Frank Fogarty's.

"A man was walking along the  
road with a dog and a gun, and an  
automobile came along and killed  
the dog. The owner of the automo-  
bile gave the owner of the dog \$5  
for the loss of the dog and then  
asked:

"Where were you going with the  
dog and gun?"  
"Down to the woods to shoot the  
dog," the man answered.—San Fran-  
cisco Chronicle.

## Rather Stiff

"That is a rather stiff assertion,"  
said Senator Curtis, at a dinner in

Washington, of a reciprocity argu-  
ment.

"That, in fact, reminds me of one  
of our Kansas stories.

"What is that tall chimney for?"  
said a visitor to Kansas, pointing to  
a farm yard. "Is somebody putting up  
a factory in this lonely quarter?"

"No," was the reply. "That's just  
Joe Miller's well. Cyclone turned her  
inside out."—Washington Star.

## The Leopard's Spots

The other day Farmer Seedling  
paid a visit to the local art gallery.  
One picture in particular took his  
fancy, and he proceeded to criticize  
the work in a tone which could be  
heard all over the building.

"See that, Marlar?" he remarked  
to his wife. "Theer's life for 'e—  
theer's nature. Just look at that tigr-  
ger skin!"

"Leopard's skin, John," corrected  
Mrs. S.

"Of course—leopard's skin," went  
on John.

"It's a heve-opener, that is—as  
natural as milk is to calves. Then  
look at theer road a-winding down  
stream 'tween them 'ills."

"That's a river, John," said Mrs.  
S.

"Oh, aye—well call it a river,  
then," continued the critic. "It's  
fine, ain't it? Then did yer ever see  
owt as natural as that theer wind  
mill!"

"That's one of them 'Indoo tem-  
ples," said Mrs. S.

That was the last straw, and John  
turned on his better half and de-  
manded in a voice of thunder:

"Are you criticizin' this 'ere pic-  
thur, or are I? Go away, woman,"  
he added, in a tone of deep disgust.  
"Go away an' find a picthur for thy-  
self!"—London Ideas.

## Not the Only Pebble

The little daughter of a woman  
ambitious to get into society burst  
into the kitchen, where the colored  
servant sat peeling potatoes.

"Oh, Mathilda!" she cried, "mam-  
ma's got her name in the Blue  
Book!"

"Wha' dat?" returned the ser-  
vant. "In de blue book? Dat am  
nothin'. Ah got mine in de red  
book."

"In the red book?"

"Yas, in de red book. Dat am de  
color ub de city directory, ain't it?"  
—Judge.

A wise man doesn't know as much  
as the fool thinks he knows.

## WOMAN'S ILLS

Many women suffer needlessly from girlhood to woman-  
hood and from motherhood to old age—with backache,  
dizziness or headache. She becomes broken-down, sleep-  
less, nervous, irritable and feels tired from morning to  
night. When pains and aches rack the womanly system at  
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ought to know about. Sent free to any address on receipt of 31 one-cent  
stamps to cover cost of wrapping and mailing only, in French cloth binding.

## DAYLIGHT ROBBERY

## IN CLEVELAND, O.

CLEVELAND, Ohio, Aug. 8.—One  
of the most daring daylight robber-  
ies committed in Cleveland in recent  
years took place yesterday when two  
men robbed Miss Anna Hyland, the  
cashier of the Star Baking company,  
of \$1,000 which she was taking to  
a bank in a satchel.

The robbery took place about  
noon on one of the principal streets  
of the city and the robbers eluded  
the police.

The men drove a buggy up to  
the curb close to Miss Hyland, who  
was on the sidewalk. One jumped  
from the carriage and snatched the  
satchel from her hands. Almost be-  
fore she could make an outcry the  
man leaped back into the buggy and  
the two drove off.

## RAINEY RAPS ROOSEVELT

## BTLEFONTAINT, Ohio, Aug. 8.

Congressman Rainey of Illinois, in  
Chautauqua address at Orchard  
Island Saturday, asserted the steel  
trust was a menace to civilization,  
called Congressman Habson an  
alarmist, and denounced Roosevelt  
for spending \$13,000,000 in send-  
ing the battleship fleet on a cruise  
of the world. He also said more  
lives were lost by defective guns in  
the navy than were lost in the Span-  
ish war.

## ATTEMPT TO WRECK

## TRAIN AT FARGO

FARGO, N. D., Aug. 8.—An at-  
tempt was made in the Moorhead  
yards early Monday to wreck Great  
Northern passenger train No. 9  
from Minneapolis, on its way to  
Winnipeg.

On crossing the city limits of  
Moorhead, the engine, tender and  
mail car left the track, and it was  
found that the spikes and fish-  
plates on two rails had been re-  
moved. Some hours afterwards a  
crowbar and other tools were found  
concealed in the woods nearby. No  
one was injured.

Another mystery in connection  
with the affair is that similar ma-  
licious mischief was done on the  
Northern Pacific track about 200  
feet north and east of the crossing  
tower. All spikes on one side of a  
rail and a bolt in each angle bar  
were removed, also all angle bar  
bolts on the other side of the rail.  
Three fast trains passed over before  
the condition of the track was dis-  
covered.

## FISHERMEN INVITE ARREST.

## MADISON, Wis., Aug. 8.—State

Game Warden John A. Shotts de-  
clared that the majority of fish-  
ermen who are arrested for illegal  
shipment of fish invite arrest  
through their own carelessness.

The law provides that packages  
containing fish and game must be  
plainly marked with the weight,  
contents and variety and name and  
address of consignor and the con-  
signee under penalty of fine and im-  
prisonment. Packages may not con-  
tain more than twenty-five pounds.

Shotts declares he will prosecute  
any officer or representative of the  
United States fish commission at  
La Crosse who violates the provi-  
sions of the permit by which the fed-  
eral government is securing bass  
minnows within the state. It is  
said by Wisconsin wardens that the  
United States steamer Curlew has  
been violating the law and privileges  
extended by the state.

## LIVES RISKED FOR MICE

## NEW YORK, Aug. 8.—Firemen

dashed into a burning tenement to  
rescue what they thought were two  
children, when Ruth Kalzman cried  
for Petie and Pinkie. The firemen  
found two white mice. One fire  
fighter was overcome.

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# COMPLETE NEWS OF THE NORTH SIDE

## NORTH SIDE MAN GETS GOOD BERTH

Clarence E. Silloway Goes to Mount Pleasant, Iowa, as General Manager of Big Concern

Clarence E. Silloway, a well known young man of the north side, has taken charge as general manager of the Staats Regalia company at Mt. Pleasant, Iowa, a former north side establishment, succeeding to the position of E. G. Staats, who has disposed of his stock in the concern, according to advices received on the north side this morning.

The following statement in regard to the change is from the Mt. Pleasant Daily News of August 3:

A change in management in the Staats Regalia Manufacturing company of this city, took place yesterday when Mr. T. G. Staats, who has acted as general manager since the plant was moved here a few months ago, was succeeded by Mr. C. E. Silloway, a nephew of Mr. Staats, who for some time has been traveling for the company.

Mr. Staats has disposed of a large portion of his stock in the company, and for the present will travel for the Regalia company. It is announced that the change is made on account of Mr. Staats' health, whose nervous condition will not permit him to continue his confining office duties. Mr. Silloway has been with the company for some time and has been a very successful salesman. He took active management of the company yesterday and will remain here permanently.

The Staats Regalia factory manufactures wrennants, banners, lodge outfits and costumes, and employs on the average about fifty people. Mr. Staats will continue to live here.

### Just Why.

"Do you find the cost of living any higher than it was, say five years ago?"

"Yes, sir. Two of my daughters have got married since."—Washington Herald.

The layman who prescribes for others always consults a physician for himself.

Mighty few women are "talked about" as much as they would like to think.

## NORTH SIDE IN BRIEF

Mrs. Thomas Ploof, 1343 Charles street, has returned from a month's visit with friends and relatives at Wykoff, Minn.

Adolph Berg, 1010 Berlin street, has left for a vacation visit with friends at Madison, Wis.

Joseph E. Graff returned yesterday from a two weeks' visit at Brownsville and Greenough.

The I. & S. baseball team has signed for a game with Viroqua Sunday. The contest will be pulled off in Viroqua.

Alex Black, who has been working in the Rose street store of the Lien Drug company, has been transferred to the store on Caledonia street, as Adolph Berg is on a vacation.

Julius Jurgenson has returned from a brief visit with relatives in Lynxville.

Adolph Syverson, Bangor, spent Monday as the guest of friends and relatives on the north side yesterday.

Valentine Pfeiffer left this morning for a two weeks' vacation in Wausau, Wis.

Fred Purcell, Madison, Wis., is visiting his uncle, Dan Deneen.

John Higgins, Madison, Wis., a nephew of Officer Dan Deneen, is visiting Mr. and Mrs. Deneen this evening.

J. H. Foster, assistant general superintendent of the Milwaukee road, left in his private car this morning for a tour of the Southern Minnesota division.

Miss Katharine Deneen left this morning for a two weeks' vacation, camping at Durand, Wis.

Miss Mabel Hanson has returned from Houston, Minn. where she enjoyed a two weeks' visit with friends and relatives.

Emil Horn has returned to his home, after a few weeks spent as the guest of relatives in St. Louis.

Miss Pearl Laughlin left this morning to spend a few days visiting Mrs. R. Stahlsmith, who is camping at Rice Lake.

Jack Gorman has accepted a position in the Burlington shops.

Richard Scheel, who was recently injured slightly in an accident at the Burlington shops, is reported to be improving nicely.

Miss Alene Foster, 1603 Charles street, has accepted a position as north side society reporter for The Tribune.

Miss Rena Timmings of 1807 Charles street, has returned from a

visit with friends and relatives in Chicago.

The Men's Society of the Bethel Lutheran church, will be entertained Thursday evening by Henry Woll at his home, 1617 George street.

Mr. and Mrs. Ryall, 1326 Avon street, are spending this week visiting Mr. and Mrs. Thos. French, who are camping near Dresbach.

Miss Emma Woll will entertain the Young People's society of the Bethel Lutheran church in the church parlors Friday evening.

A general reception will be held in honor of Rev. and Mrs. H. B. Leonard at the Tabernacle Baptist church Wednesday evening following the prayer meeting. Mr. and Mrs. Leonard and son will leave next week for their home at Charleston, Ill.

The parochial school of the Bethel Lutheran church will close on Friday. Sunday the church will hold a picnic at Myrick park. In the morning there will be services in the park and in the afternoon the children will render a program.

Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Wolcott of Milwaukee, Wis., spent today with Mr. Wolcott's mother, 721 Caledonia street.

The Woman's Missionary Circle of the Tabernacle Baptist church, will meet Friday afternoon at 3 o'clock at the church.

There will be a union rally of all the Missionary Societies of the Baptist churches of La Crosse, at the Tabernacle Baptist church Friday evening. Rev. G. W. Gales of Ontario will speak.

Mrs. F. M. Greene, 1402 George street, has returned from several weeks' visit with her daughter at Melvina, Wis.

Mrs. Margaret Israelson, 1419 Logan street, has returned from a visit with relatives at Eau Claire, Wis.

Mr. and Mrs. Irvine of Melvina, Wis., are guests of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Greene and Mrs. F. M. Greene of 1402 George street.

Miss Olla Dohlin has returned to her home at New Albion, Ia., after a visit with Mrs. A. Johnson, 924 Rose street.

Amos Tappery, who has been visiting his daughter, Mrs. A. Johnson, 924 Rose street, has gone to New Albion, for a visit before returning to his home at Peterson, Minn.

Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Adams of Spring Green, are spending a few weeks visiting with her mother.

Miss Mathilda and Caroline Nordlund of Bloomingdale, are here visiting at the home of Mrs. C. L. Larsen.

Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Bohon of La Belle, Mo., have returned home

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Detroit, Mich., Aug. 4th, '11.

Elsen and Phillips, La Crosse.

Flanders "20" again made clean sweep. Awarded first and second—all the prizes there were -- in her class in ten days reliability run Minneapolis to Helena, Montana. Hardest contest any light car ever entered; 1390 miles, over mountains and plains. Worst roads in America and rained most every day. Mud hub deep. The two Flanders were only cars in her class to finish with perfect scores and the only other car of any price—a Marmon \$2700—finished perfect. Cars penalized included Packard, Stoddard-Dayton, Abbott-Detroit, Amplex, Maxwell, Cole, Krit, Hupmobile. This is second great victory for the Flanders "20" in a month—the other was three perfect road scores in Iowa's "Little Glidden Tour." No other \$800 car on earth can stand up with Flanders "20" in hard work and in this latest contest she went out of her class and trimmed the four thousand dollar fellows.

The Studebaker E. M. F. Factories, 8:10 P. M.

after a few weeks' visit with Mrs. J. J. Rouse of 1402 Charles street.

Mr. Lars Instenes and Joe Gohres took a fishing trip to West Salem on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Laughlin returned home.

Mr. Reginald Robinson was called home from west on account of illness of his mother, Mrs. A. Robinson.

Mr. E. S. Koller, general superintendent, went through Grand Crossing in his private car yesterday.

Miss Katie Brooker has returned from Aurora, where she visited with friends for a few weeks.

Mrs. M. Hickey is the guest of friends in La Crescent, Minn.

The engine No. 2527, that was in the wreck of the Burlington express train, number 57, was brought to Grand Crossing yesterday to undergo a general overhauling and repairing.

Mrs. E. P. Bracken, general manager of the Burlington lines east of the Missouri river, went through Grand Crossing yesterday afternoon on an inspection tour.

Mrs. Charles Kane, 1352 Charles street, is the guest of friends and relatives at Salem.

Miss Evelyn Nelson has returned to her home at 1640 Berlin street, after a visit with friends at Deer River.

Mr. and Mrs. William Wenger

have returned to their home in Alma, after a visit with friends on the north side.

Ice cream social on the parsonage lawn, 1128 Avon street, by the Ladies' society of the German Lutheran congregation Wednesday, Aug. 9.

Misses Blanche and Sophie Ranum have returned from a visit at Yellowstone Park.

Lynn Winell has resumed his duties as flagman for the Burlington at Fountain City.

Lesfer Covey who has been visiting friends here, has returned to Winona, where he will resume his duties as timekeeper for the C. B. & Q.

The Round House Sluggers defeated the Can gang in a clever game of indoor baseball on the Cargill diamond last evening by a score of 4 to 3. The feature of the game was the clever pitching of Asselin. Batteries for the Round House Sluggers were Asselin and Fitzpatrick and for the Can Gang Hagen and Hagen.

The Ladies' Aid society of the North Presbyterian church will hold its annual picnic Thursday at Myrick park.

Miss Hilda Swanson of St. Paul, is visiting Mrs. A. H. Opland of 403 Avon street.

Bernard Abnett and Oscar Bangsberg have returned from a visit with friends at Winona.

Leo La Fleur has returned to his home at 1617 Wood street, after a visit with friends at Lynxville.

## BENEDICTS MAKE FIRST TRIPLE PLAY

The only triple play that has been made so far in the season of the Copeland Park league was pulled off last night by the Benedicts in their game with the Slashers. The triple came in the ninth inning, after the Slashers had tied up the game securely with a 23 to 4 score, and was about the only flash of brilliant playing that the Benedicts pulled off.

The game between the Rollers and the Infants was awarded to the Infants through default, the Rollers failing to appear on the scene.

The standings:

	Won.	Lost.	Pct.
Generals	12	6	.666
Jamesson's Colts	12	7	.631
Infants	11	7	.611
Copeland Park Stars	12	8	.600
Slashers	8	9	.470
Benedicts	7	11	.388
Packers	5	10	.333
Rollers	6	15	.285

'Tis a fine thing always to "land on your feet"—but the hair grows gray and wispy!

## TO SAY FEAR DROVE BEATTIE TO MURDER

RICHMOND, Va., Aug. 8. — The prosecution in the Beattie murder case, it was learned today, will argue that Henry Clay Beattie, Jr., was in a state of acute panic when he killed his young wife.

The way the prosecution now views the case is that Beattie was thrown into a panic by information that his banker-father, source of his spending money, was shortly to arrive in Richmond, and feared that his wife would cut off this golden stream by telling Beattie, Sr., of his son's cruelties and infidelities. In this state of acute fear, the commonwealth alleges, Beattie clumsily planned his wife's murder.

This theory was decided upon to offset the possibility of the defense contending that if Beattie had done the deed after crafty planning, he would not have purchased the shotgun in such a way that its ownership was easily traced.

Only three or four witnesses will be taken before the grand jury next

Monday, according to counsel for the prosecution. These will include Paul Beattie and Beulah Binford, the "other woman."

### Fish Artificially Colored.

One of the strangest possible commercial frauds has recently been exposed by an inspector of the Pennsylvania food bureau. His attention was struck by the rich red color of some smoked fish that was on sale in the "delicatessen" stores of Philadelphia. He bought some and sent it to an analyst, who reported that he could dye wool with the coloring matter extracted from it. The retailers declared their innocence, maintaining that they had purchased the stuff in the belief that it was genuine smoked fish. The object of the wholesalers is clear, in view of the fact that in smoking fish there is a loss of 15 pounds in every 100 pounds, while in dyeing there is no loss at all.

Discouragement finds pretty slippers squatting on the shoulders of the do things man!

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Shaving 10c Hair Cut 15c  
Except Saturdays and Holidays.

### YANKS WILL ATTEND OLYMPIC GAMES

NEW YORK, Aug. 8. — With \$1,000 from the A. A. U. as a nest egg the \$50,000 fund to defray the expenses of the American team at the Stockholm Olympic next year, today has been started. There are no regularly assigned solicitors. But those behind the project say behind the generosity of the American athletic public, depends whether or not Yankee land is to be represented at the classic.

### POLICEMAN FIGHTS MOB

CHICAGO, Aug. 8. — After he had arrested Charles Young, who a short time before had shot Newton Seis, Patrolman Griffin was compelled to draw his revolver and hold off a mob of negroes bent on lynching the prisoner until reinforcements arrived. So daring was the mob that guns were flashed on the policeman who had to beat the leaders over the head with his own revolver when they attempted to wrest his prisoner from him.

### Eugene Field's Joke on Dr. Hale.

Edward Everett Hale greatly enjoyed a joke which was perpetrated on him by Eugene Field, says the Woman's Home Companion. Field celebrated one of Hale's visits to Chicago by giving a luncheon in his honor, inviting a number of prominent persons to meet him. "Field was aware," said Hale, "that I was a temperance man, and therefore I was somewhat surprised to see that the table on which the luncheon was served was very abundantly supplied with bottles labeled 'whisky,' 'brandy' and 'champagne.' But when these bottles came to be uncorked they were all found to contain nothing but water."

### WOMAN MAYOR SEEKS TO OUST ALDERMEN

HUNNEWELL, Kas., Aug. 8. — Mrs. Ella M. Wilson's fight to be mayor of Hunnewell is in fact since her election to that office last April, will be forced into court, she declared today, by actions to oust the four remaining councilmen. A fifth member recently resigned. At a meeting of the council last night the members again refused to approve the mayor's appointments of a city clerk, treasurer and street commissioner, and then refused to consider the naming of George Osborn to succeed Councilman W. L. Lewis, resigned. Mrs. Wilson therefore retaliated by refusing to sign warrants that would authorize payment of bills held against the town. Attorney-General Dawson has assured Mrs. Wilson his assistance in suits to remove the aldermen for alleged neglect of duty. Governor Stubbs has offered his aid, in response to a direct plea from the mayor. Mrs. Wilson will not say when the suits will be started but intimates action may be taken in a few days.

## PERSONAL

When in doubt go to the Bijou.  
Dr. I. M. Kinnear and wife and son left this morning for Wawota, Saskatchewan, where they will visit for a short time.  
S. A. Nelson of Lanesboro is visiting friends in the city today.  
Robert Fehner of Faribault, Minn., is in the city transacting business.

Dr. Will Powell, diseases of women.  
J. H. Randall from Dubuque is a La Crosse visitor today.

Gus Kolb of Hillsboro came to the city on a business trip yesterday.  
John May of Lansing is in the city for a few days visiting friends.

Dr. Geo. Powell, consulting physician and surgeon.

John Hoffman came from Dubuque yesterday to visit in the city for a few days.

Dance Linker's hall, Thurs., Aug. 10. Andre's orchestra. Electric fans. J. J. Martin of Harmony is in the city today on a business trip.

Alfred Mehringer of Fountain City is visiting friends and relatives in the city.

M. Aaberg of Harmony is in the city today on business.

Ben Haney of Fountain City is transacting business in La Crosse today.

The event and the last of the season will be the excursion on the steamer Sidney, August 9.

M. J. Mueller, a resident of Sparta, is calling in the city for a few days.

Fred and Elmer Hofer from Fountain City is a visitor in La Crosse for a short time.

Special ladies' and children's matinee excursion on steamer Sidney, August 9, at 2:30 p. m.

Tony Pencl of Genoa, Wis., is in the city for a few days.

A. J. Vith of Hillsboro is transacting business in the city today.

J. A. Erickson of Winona came to the city yesterday to spend a few days here.

Hack calls day and night. Gateway City Transfer Line. Phone 179.

John S. Evans of Sparta is a visitor in La Crosse for a short time.

Mr. and Mrs. George Weaver of Winona are visiting friends in the city for a few days.

B. A. Yeomen meeting and dancing tonight.

A. Camp from Winona is a business visitor in La Crosse today.

Carroll C. Coulson has recovered from an operation for appendicitis.

Mrs. L. Kleeber, who has been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. Hendrickson, West Salem, during the past few days, has returned to her home.

Afternoon excursion on steamer Sidney Wednesday, August 9. Leaves 2:30. Returns 6 p. m.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Pettinill and daughter Dagget, St. Paul, are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. William McEldowney.

N. C. Bachellor has returned to his home in this city after spending several days visiting friends and relatives in Chicago.

P. Hammer and family, this city, have left for New Amsterdam, where they will be the guests of friends and relatives during the next few weeks.

Miss Nora Nelson, who has been visiting relatives and friends at Vi-roqua during the past week, has returned to her home in this city.

You cannot afford to stay at home August 9, when you can make an afternoon or moonlight trip on the steamer Sidney at 50c for gentlemen and 25c for ladies.

Mr. L. Curtis, Sparta, Wis., has returned to his home after spending a short time with friends here.

Thomas Engbretonson, a well known farmer of Lanesboro, Minn., is spending the day in the city. Mr. Engbretonson reports a satisfactory crop conditions in that section of Minnesota.

Moonlight excursion on steamer Sidney Wednesday, August 9. Leaves 8 p. m. Returns 11:30 p. m.

S. D. Maine, son of Dr. C. D. Maine, 121 West avenue south, left this morning for Newport, R. I., to start on a three years' enlistment as ships writer in the navy.

### In Hock.

Young men with meagre salaries evolve financial makeshifts abhorrent to the moral and physical sensibilities of their opulent elders. Said one young sprig of boarding house gentility to another who expected to seek new quarters upon his return from a two-months' trip on the road:

"What are you going to do with all this personal truck that is cluttering up your room? It will cost you anyhow a dollar a month for storage."

"Not the way I am working things," said the man who was going away. "I have purposely refrained from paying board for four weeks and the landlady will hold my stuff. Of course I shall square up when I come back and get it again, and in the meantime she will give it free storage."

### Teach Household Arts.

Several new schools of household arts were opened in New York at the beginning of the present school year. In one of them girls who have not taken a college course can get practical training in cooking, the care of the home, house decorating, the keeping of accounts, millinery, dressmaking and embroidery. Part time courses are permitted so that the training need not interfere with other studies or work the girl may be carrying on.

### LEAVE FOR VISIT

L. W. King and family leave today for Red Oak, Iowa, where they will visit Mr. and Mrs. P. B. King. Mr. King intends to remain for 60 days but the family will stay until the first of September.

## Beware of Ointments for Catarrh That Contain Mercury

as mercury will surely destroy the sense of smell and completely derange the whole system when entering it through the mucous surfaces. Such articles should never be used except on prescriptions from reputable physicians, as the damage they will do is ten fold to the good you can possibly derive from them. Hall's Catarrh Cure, manufactured by F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, O., contains no mercury, and is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. In buying Hall's Catarrh Cure be sure you get the genuine. It is taken internally and made in Toledo, Ohio, by F. J. Cheney & Co. Testimonials free.

Sold by all druggists. Price 75c per bottle.  
Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

## :: SOCIETY ::

### ICE CREAM SOCIAL

The Rebekahs will give an ice cream social tonight on the lawn at the home of Mrs. Ole Wold, 1402 Jackson street. In case of inclement weather it will be held in the house.

### DINNER AT COUNTRY CLUB

Dr. and Mrs. Rowles entertained at a delightful dinner last evening at the Country club. The guest of honor was Miss Katherine Percy of Galesville, who is a guest at the home of Dr. Rowles. About twenty-five guests were invited. After the dinner an informal hop was given. Those present were Miss Percy, the Misses Florence and Helen Scofield, Helen and Mary Anderson, Dorothy Usher, Jeanette Hankerson, Margery Gordon, Messrs. Homer and Harold Davis, Hugh Moss, Ben Brindley, Rob and Stanley Gordon, Harry Gund, Duncan Rowles, Mrs. Percy, Mesdames Gordon, Scofield, W. S. Cargill, the Misses Elizabeth and Jeanette MacMillan.

### SOCIAL BRIEFS

Mrs. Egbert and family returned last evening from Chetek.

Mrs. A. S. Farnam and daughters returned Saturday from Chetek.

Robert Farnam and Paul Egbert canoeed from Chetek to Menomonie on Cedar river, a distance of 82 miles, making the trip in two days.

Miss Gladys Linker of Minneapolis is visiting her cousin, Miss Virginia Dodge.

Mrs. Percy and daughter, Miss Katherine Percy of Galesburg, Ill., who have been guests at the home of Dr. Rowles, and Duncan Rowles will leave tomorrow morning for Chetek where they will spend a week.

### BIRTHDAY SURPRISE

Miss Stella Hanson, 1500 Avon street, was quietly surprised Saturday evening by a number of her friends. Miss Hanson was presented with a beautiful signet ring in honor of her fifteenth birthday. A delicious lunch was served at 9:30.

Miss Clara and Mary Hansen and Josephine Severson assisted in serving. The invited guests were Stella Hanson, Theresa and Julia Severson, Esther and Julia Noem, Lillian and Evelyn Paas, Gertrude and Grace Peterman, Myrtle Engh, Alvida Melbo, Edith Christanson, Ruth Rowe, Myrtle Solberg, Myrtle Robinson, Clara Lee, Esther Zimmer, Gladys Sheely, Fern Nichols, Ada Wiles, Ida O. Leary, Mabel Gunderson, Mabel Briebach, Alvida Moe and Myrtle McReynolds.

They departed at a late hour, all reporting a good time.

### JORRIS FAMILY REUNION

One of the delightful events of the reunion of the Jorris family was the picnic dinner at the home of Dr. and Mrs. A. U. Jorris, 1831 Cass street. The following is a list of the brothers and wives who are in attendance upon the various celebrations: P. R. Jorris of Spring Valley, Minn.; E. W. Jorris, wife and daughter Olive of Williams, Minn.; H. G. Jorris, wife and two sons of Henderson, Ky.; Dr. F. E. Jorris and daughter Ruth of Minneapolis; Rev. Otto Jorris of Toledo, Ohio; Rev. W. R. Jorris of Moravia, N. Y.; and Archie Jorris and wife of Spring Valley, Minn.

Others present from the city at the picnic were Mr. and Mrs. Carl Rau, Mr. and Mrs. Otto Merman, Mrs. E. C. Lee of Georgia, Mrs. Theodore Miller, Mrs. G. H. Merman, Mrs. W. R. Ellers, Lucile Ellers, Ruth Miller, Helen Zipse, Pearl Ellers, Bertha Brenner, R. Merman, Wilbur Rau, H. Ellers, M. Ellers, G. A. Merman, Theodore Miller, Friday the Jorris family spent at Ferndale cottage, the summer home. Saturday they all went to Spring Valley and today they go to Lake Minnesota.

Mrs. H. Berger and Miss Irma Berger arrived yesterday from New York for several weeks' visit with friends and are at the home of Mrs. A. Platz, West avenue south.

### HUGE PARADE AS PROTEST

CLEVELAND, Aug. 8. — Five thousand women, the wives of striking garment workers and girl strikers today completed plans for a monster demonstration to take place here this week. The women will parade through the downtown streets and the cloak manufacturing districts.

### Wedding Rings of Quality.

Our wedding rings are of the highest standard 18k and 14k solid gold; no low quality or filled rings in our stock. Our stock comprises all weights and sizes ranging in price from \$4.00 to \$9.00. We never cut a ring to make it fit.

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## SIGNING THE WORLD'S MOST IMPORTANT TREATY



SIGNING THE PEACE TREATY.

First picture of the actual signing of the first treaty between England, France and the United States. The picture was taken in the president's study.

Left to right around the table they are: Ambassador Bryce, Esmond Ovey, secretary of the British embassy, President Taft, Viscount St. Phalle, the French vice consul at New York, Chandler Anderson, counselor of the state department, and Secretary of State P. C. Knox.

## LAYMEN'S LEAGUE TO GIVE EXCURSION

A moonlight excursion is to be given on the steamer La Crosse and barge tonight by the Laymen's league of the St. Paul Universalist church, the boat leaving the harbor at the foot of Main street at 8:00 o'clock and returning to the same place at 11 o'clock. Music will be furnished by a five piece orchestra so the ride on the most picturesque part of the Mississippi river will be made as pleasant as possible.

This is the first time that an excursion has been given by a church organization this summer, and plans are being made to make this a most enjoyable affair. Three hours of riding by moonlight on this part of the river gives one a fine outing, one which has always been popular with people of this city and which is gaining more popularity all the time.

## 20,000 SEE DIVER BURNED TO A CRISP

LA FAYETTE, Ind., Aug. 8. — Sliding down a slack wire while incased in a bag saturated with gasoline, J. M. Howard, a high diver, was fatally burned here. Physicians declared he could not live through the day. When the paper bag took fire before Howard had attained enough speed to fan the flames from him, he jumped into the river, but the upper part of his body was burned to a crisp. Twenty thousand persons witnessed the accident.

## BANGOR GIRL WEDS OCONOMOWOC MAN

John Henry Spillane, a telephone operator, residing at Oconomowoc, and Miss Crystal Josephine Baebler of Bangor were yesterday married at the Baptist parsonage, 117 North Eighth street, by Rev. W. A. Billings. Mr. and Mrs. Spillane left at noon yesterday for Oconomowoc, where they will make their home.

### He Staked His Herd.

Many stories of big poker games among the western cattlemen in the early days have been told, but the story of the game with probably the greatest stakes is here printed for the first time. Two well-known cattlemen of southwestern Kansas started to move their herds to the pastures of Wyoming. Each herd contained more than a thousand head of cattle. When they came to the crossing of the Arkansas river near Coolidge they found a flood on. They were unable to cross for two or three days. To while away the time the two men engaged in a poker game. When the flood finally subsided so that the cattle could proceed one of the cattlemen said to his son, who was helping to drive: "Just turn my herd over to our neighbor and we will go back home." He had bet and lost not only all the money he had, but all of the herd of cattle.

### More Pressing.

"Did you ever consider that old problem of where all the pins go?" "No, I am going to take up the solution of that problem as soon as I have learned where all the dollars go." —Houston Post.

### Convenient.

"You say that man kept the accounts of his big business in his head?" "Yes." "Yet he seems forgetful." "Sometimes. When he goes on the witness stand he loses his head."

### A NEW CITIZEN

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Albert Isenmann, a son.

## BOY TRAMPLED BY MADDENED TEAM

While he and his brother, Robert, were selling papers at the corner of Fourth and Main streets last night about 6 o'clock, Thomas Tooke, age 9 years, son of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur B. Tooke, 1026 South Fourth street, came near sustaining fatal injuries when a team of horses hitched to a cab belonging to the Hayes Transfer line ran him down, inflicting a flesh cut of several inches in the back of his head, several bruises and cuts on the toes of one foot. Thos. Higgins and Herman Schultz were on the driver's seat of the cab and they assert that inasmuch as the street was crowded at the supper hour it is fortunate that they did not run into more people.

The horses became frightened by a brass band which was playing at that time and they became uncontrollable, dashing south on Fourth street. People on the street at that time warned the two boys by whistling and shouting at them, but only Robert heard and got out of the way in time. His brother, Thomas, got in the way of the animals and was trampled upon. He was carried into Hebbard's drug store. Clerks at that place rendered him assistance while a doctor was called.

At the hospital it was discovered that Thomas had a cut of several inches in his scalp where he had been hit by the steel shoe of the horse, that he had sustained a few bruises and that a few of his toes had been cut. The boy was taken to his home after several stitches had been taken in his scalp, and although the wounds are painful they are not as bad as at first supposed.

### Fattening Foods.

White bread is fattening because we rarely digest it completely. Starchy foods are quite unaffected by the gastric juices which digest the meats. Their digestive ferments are obtained chiefly from the saliva in the mouth, which therefore should be thoroughly mixed with each mouthful before swallowing. But white bread is so soft and lacking in substance that we unconsciously swallow it long before it has had a fair chance to become sufficiently fermented with the digestive saliva. The result is delayed digestion (if digestion takes place at all), and at the best the starch is very apt to be converted into disfiguring, unwanted and unhealthful fat.

### Advocates Silence.

Silence is the element in which great things fashion themselves together, that at length they may emerge full formed and majestic, into the daylight of life, which they are henceforth to rule. . . . All the considerable men I have known forebore to babble of what they were creating and projecting. Nay, in their own perplexities, do thou thyself but hold thy tongue for one day; on the morrow how much clearer are thy purposes and duties; what wreck and rubbish have these mute workmen within thee swept away when intrusive noises were shut out. —Maurice Maeterlinck.

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## A Proclamation

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## LANSING, IOWA

Mrs. Bridget Phalen of this city passed away at her home Saturday evening. The cause of her death was apoplexy of the heart. She was born at County Prairie, Ireland, 82 years ago, and came to America when two years of age, with her parents. She was married to Mr. Tom Bacon and moved on a farm on Round Prairie where they resided for over forty years. Her husband died several years ago, and was buried near Lyncurg. In 1861 she was again married to James Phalen and left the farm and went to Kansas. She lived there for two years, but came here again and in 1865 left for Canada in the fall. She returned to Lansing and has made this place her home. Two sons and two daughters survive her. Funeral services will be held at the Catholic church in this city, Rev. Hapmeyer officiating.

A game of ball was played here Sunday afternoon by May's Prairie team and our boys. The score was 6 to 1 in favor of Lansing. Richard Dunley umpired the game.

Peter and Con Spinner were out bass fishing Sunday. They caught 75 fine bass and pike which averaged eight pounds apiece.

### Good Use for Old Wire Rope.

Old wire rope is used in certain French mines for reinforcing old timbers, especially the cap pieces of sets. The old rope is stretched longitudinally around the timber, the ends being held fast between the roof and the top of the cap piece so they cannot slip. When a timber starts to bend under the weight of the roof part of the tension is taken up by the wire cable, enabling a miner to put in additional supports before a fall occurs. The ends of the cap pieces are tapered and grooved deep enough to receive the rope and prevent any part of it projecting beyond the bearing ends of the timber pieces.

## WILL RETIRE WHEN HE IS 100 YEARS OLD

LOS ANGELES, Cal., Aug. 7. — Dr. Henry Knox Stratford, who passed his 90th birthday here yesterday, visiting his niece, and became the oldest practicing physician in America, declared today he expected to continue practicing medicine until he was 100. "When I have turned the century mark," he said, "I shall think my time has come to retire and make way for some of the younger men. I am as strong now in mind and body as the younger men, and all my patients will testify." Dr. Stratford is distinguished for his rugged strength and health. He never had an unsound tooth. He attributes his health to abstinence from tobacco and liquors.

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## ADmits MEETING PEDERSON'S WIFE

Peter Hellum Testifies that He Visited Her in Peterson's Apartments and in Minneapolis

That he had at various times secretly visited Mrs. Hjalmer Pederson at her home at 515 Main street, during the absence of her husband, and that on one occasion he met her by appointment in Minneapolis was admitted this morning by Peter Hellum, La Crosse saloon keeper who has been made the defendant in a \$20,000 alienation suit brought by Pederson, former husband of the "woman in the case."

Pederson was recently granted a divorce from his wife in circuit court here, alleging infidelity and following this he sued Hellum for \$20,000 alleging alienation of his wife's affections.

The hearing this morning was held before Court Commissioner Alfred Harrison.

## ADMIRAL TOGO VIEWS FAMILIAR ACTIVITY

WASHINGTON, Aug. 8.—Admiral Togo felt quite at home today when he was taken through the naval gun factory at the Washington navy yard. The admiral was permitted to look at everything as closely as he pleased, and the naval officers who escorted him through the great shops were kept busy answering his questions. Admiral Togo was for years commandant of the largest navy yard and gun factory of Japan.

Assistant Secretary of State Huntington Wilson was the host of the admiral this afternoon at a luncheon at his home. The late afternoon was spent in an automobile ride about the capital, including a brief visit to congress.

Tonight the Japanese sea fighter will be the guest of acting Secretary of the Navy Winthrop, and later will attend a reception at the Army and Navy club. He will leave tomorrow morning for Baltimore.

Peerless nab one from West Salem

The fast West Salem baseball team was defeated by a score of 9 to 4 on its home grounds Saturday by the Gund's Peerless aggregation of La Crosse.

The features of the game were the batting of Rennebohm, who secured three hits, two of which were two-baggers, the fielding of Bartl in left field, who made several difficult catches without an error, and the pitching of Ulrich who allowed but four hits.

The line up for the Peerless team was as follows: Kelley, c; Ulrich, p; Rennebohm, 1b; Bedessen, 2b; Solie, ss; Satek, 3b; Peters, rf; Monti, cf; Bartl, lf.

R. H. E.  
 West Salem ..... 4 4 5  
 Gund's Peerless ..... 9 12 1

Another game has been arranged between these two teams to be played at West Salem on Saturday, August 19.

## MACADAM DECIDED UPON BY ALDERMEN

The special street improvements committee this morning investigated streets and other matters in connection with their work. They looked over Kane and several other North side streets on which macadam was wanted, but action on the matter was deferred until next week. It was also decided that Fifteenth and Seventeenth streets on the South side should be macadamized.

The committee also decided that the board walk leading to the rubber mills was all right and that a new one was not necessary. The cinders in this street leading to the mill are also satisfactory. The outlet of the sewer at Hagar street was looked over and this matter will be considered later.

## MRS. TSCHARNER'S FATHER IS CALLED

Colonel E. B. Overstreet of St. Louis, age 72 years, died yesterday at his home. He is survived by a widow, three daughters, Mrs. W. B. Tscharnier of La Crosse being one of them, and one son.

## UNKNOWN TOT OF SIX ACCIDENTAL SLAYER

CHICAGO, Aug. 8.—Some loving mother today clasped her six-year-old son to her breast, as unconscious as the child himself that the tot was a murderer, with the whole police force of Chicago seeking him.

Frank Stratton was the child's victim. While painting a target in a shooting gallery late yesterday in Riverview park, Stratton left a loaded rifle lying on the counter.

Two children, one about six and the other about seven, stopped to watch Stratton. Their attention soon was fixed upon the rifles. The youngest child picked up one and pulled the trigger. Stratton sank dead with a bullet through his brain.

The children fled. The crowd was so interested in Stratton they paid no heed to the boys. The discovery of the slayer depends upon how long the children can keep their big secret.

## VOTE SAYS BILLS SHOULD BE SIGNED

Chicago Tribune Takes Poll in Central and Northwestern States on Tariff

CHICAGO, Aug. 8.—Newspaper editors in the twelve states comprising the East, North Central and West North Central divisions of the federal census believe the wool bill, the farmers' free list bill and the cotton bill should be signed by President Taft, according to a poll printed today by the Chicago Tribune.

The states comprised in these divisions are Ohio, Indiana, Illinois, Michigan, Wisconsin, Missouri, Iowa, Minnesota, Kansas, Nebraska, North Dakota and South Dakota.

Telegrams were sent to 1,105 editors by the Tribune asking: "In your judgment, should President Taft sign the wool bill, the farmers' free list bill and the cotton bill?"

"Do you believe the president should veto these bills and wait for reports from the tariff commission on which scientific reductions can be based?"

The poll shows a majority in favor of the signing of the bills by the president but it shows an overwhelming majority of republicans against such action. Democratic editors voted solidly along party lines, but republican and independent editors were badly split.

Summary of Poll  
 A summary of the poll shows:  
 Asked Answered Voted Sign  
 Rep. .... 698 285 184 101  
 Dem. .... 258 110 3 107  
 Ind. .... 149 66 21 45

Totals 1,105 461 208 253

In Minnesota the questions were put to 50 republican, 12 democratic, and 12 independent editors. Of these answers were received from 24 republicans, 6 democrats, and 9 independents. Of these 17 republicans, 6 democrats, and 9 independents favored signing the bill while 7 republications favored a veto. The vote stood 32 for signing to 7 for vetoing.

In North Dakota questions were put to 47 republicans, 6 democrats, and 5 independents. Twenty-eight answered, 23 being republicans, 4 democrats, and 1 independent. Of these 18 republicans, 4 democrats, and 1 independent wanted the bill signed, while 5 republicans favored the veto. The vote stood 23 for signing to 5 for vetoing.

In South Dakota 50 republicans, 10 democrats, and 11 independents were questioned. Answers were received from 21 republicans, 6 democrats, and 7 independents. Of these 12 republicans, 6 democrats, and 7 independents favored signing the bills, while 9 republicans favored the veto. The total was 25 to 9.

Force will come to La Crosse

President John Elliott today announced that President Frank Force of the Minny league will be here Sunday to witness the game between La Crosse and Superior. Sunday will be U. C. T. day.

Scout Huff of the Chicago Cubs will arrive here Thursday to witness the work of Watson and to report to President Murphy.

## CLUB LIKELY TO SELL HYDROPLANE

A special meeting of the committee of the La Crosse Motor Boat Club, in charge of the hydroplane La Crosse, will be called within a short time by Chairman George Rose to consider the matter of the disposal of the craft. The club may decide to retain the hydroplane, but the general opinion is that efforts will be made to sell it.

## FIRE IS SMALL

The explosion of an alcohol lamp at the home of William Brownson, Sr., Seventh and Vine streets at 5:15 yesterday afternoon resulted in a small loss.

## BULL KILLS FARMER

MONROE, Wis., Aug. 8.—Fred Reimer, 64, a wealthy farmer, died today of injuries received when attacked by a fierce bull on his farm near here. He is survived by a wife and nine children.

## WAIST PINS FOR SUMMER FROCKS

The lingerie waists, the frilly, filmy gowns and dainty collars. Every woman need plenty of these handy little pins that are a sine qua non to good dressers.

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## CHURCH FIGHTS ASTOR'S MARRIAGE TO YOUNG GIRL

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ed Bishop Burch. "But the church laws are most strict in saying, what marriages shall be sanctioned. The divorced person must appear before the bishop of his diocese, or a council of bishops—which will probably be the rule in the Astor-Force case—and demonstrate that not only is the decree final but that he or she was the innocent party. Until this is done no Episcopal preacher can perform the ceremony."

"I think that Dr. Richmond's structures are most interperate but, all in all, he voices to a great extent the feeling toward Colonel Astor's remarriage held by the majority of the Episcopal church."

## Legalized Free Love

Rev. Father Evers, pastor of St. Andrew's Roman Catholic church, said:

"Such a marriage as that of Colonel Astor is legalized free love. Speaking as a man, as well as a priest, I think this elderly bridegroom should be strung up. The present case is particularly flagrant in its disregard of social and even human decency. A man of 47, divorced scarcely more than twelve months for unfaithfulness to his wife of twenty years, marries a child, a girl younger than his own son—who is reported to be courting the sister of his 'new mother.' It's a crime against nature as well as against society."

Rev. John S. Allen, pastor of the Marble Collegiate church on Fifth avenue, said:

"No self respecting minister of any denomination can afford to marry this man. He has sinned against the state for he has deliberately broken up a home and family, the very nucleus of the state."

## Crime and Disgrace

Rev. C. O. Bernstein, pastor of the first Adventist church, said: "Crime and disgrace are the proper words to use in describing such a mock marriage. The man is simply after a young and tender victim. The girl wants money and place and luxury. The marriage is an abomination and should not be tolerated."

"Criticism of Colonel Astor's coming marriage comes only from that class of persons who hate men of wealth and can see no good in anything they do," said Mrs. Sylvia Green Wilkes, daughter of Mrs. Hetty Green, a relative by marriage of Colonel Astor, today.

"Mr. Astor does not care for the opinion of the public. Yet his is the same kind of a love match as mine was. People criticised me for marrying a man whose age was printed at 65. But I loved him and married. The possession of wealth, however, subjects people to unjust criticism and in this country people of wealth have no protection from slander."

## Girl Takes Big Risk

"Miss Force is running a tremendous risk," declared Mrs. William Grant Brown, who, as president of the New York City Federation of Women's clubs, speaks for the club women of the metropolis. "Colonel Astor is a typical man of the world. His reputation need not be discussed, but one fact stands out plainly—Miss Force is offered up to him as a sacrifice rather than permitted to marry a boy of her own age. The New York idea of changing wives every few months is utterly subversive to morality and even common decency, but even more so I abominate unions between old men and young girls."

## Moral Standards Lowered

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., Aug. 8.—That the sanction of the church to the coming Astor-Force marriage should be withheld was the opinion expressed here today by Rev. William M. Searing, a prominent Methodist minister. "Such unions weaken the moral standards of the nation and I would not officiate at such a ceremony," Rev. Searing said. "The marriage of a girl of 18 to a man of 47, who has been divorced but a year, rarely occurs among our people of moderate means. Wealth should cut no figure and it is time that the church should take a firm stand against such marriages."

NEW YORK, Aug. 8.—That his wife's health is seriously threatened as the result of the criticism of ministers and church leaders tenaciously over his daughter's coming wedding to Colonel John Jacob Astor, was the statement of William H. Force, father of Miss Madeline Talmage Force today. Force came back today from Newport, where he has been visiting his prospective son-in-law, greatly angered over the criticism of the various ministers, which he characterized as cruel and unjust. He said that his family were members of the Episcopal church, but were not close church attendants. Regarding Rev. Richmond's verbal assault, Force said:

"It is a terrible thing that a minister should give out a statement of the nature given by Dr. Richmond. I can't understand it. My family is dreadfully upset over it, and Mrs. Force is sick as a result. How a minister of the gospel can explain his attitude in judging others is hard to explain. The wedding will take place exactly as we have planned it. My wife and daughters are now in Newport and will stay there for a few days as the guests of Colonel Astor."

## BACK IN JAIL AFTER EIGHT HOURS

Release this morning after serving 45 days in the county bastille, Jessie May Davis, alias May Davis, alias Mrs. George Petrek, etc., today established a new record for breaking into jail again.

At 2 o'clock this afternoon, too drunk to more than walk, Miss Davis was taken back to the county jail to begin another sentence for drunkenness and disorderly conduct. She was out of jail less than eight hours.

## ATTEMPT THEFT TO SEE CARNIVAL

Wanted to 'Take in Shows' Is Reason Assigned by Youthful Bandits

According to John Vinger, 1307 South Sixth street, age thirteen years, leader of the bandit trio consisting of himself, and his two brothers, Fred, age 11, and Walter, age 9, who entered the restaurant of Ledman & Moler, 215 Pearl street, yesterday afternoon and after plundering the till and removing cash amounting to \$8.55, made a bold dash up Pearl street in an effort to escape, the object of the robbery was to get money to enjoy the pleasures of the carnival.

John, when brought before County Judge John Brindley this morning, stated that he had intended to return the money to some future time and that his sole purpose in stealing the money was to show his brothers a good time at the carnival.

The boys were taken to the police station but were released at 6 o'clock with the instructions to go home. However John decided that he could have a good time at the carnival, cash or no cash, and with his youthful assistants made for the market square. Later in the evening the trio were again captured, this time by their wrathful parents, who had learned of the affair and went to the police station to obtain their release, only to learn that they were "taken in the sights."

The case was adjourned for one week.

## PLUMBER WON'T TELL HOW HE WAS HURT

Cliff Van Sickle, a plumber, was found lying unconscious in the street between Third and Fourth on Cass at about 10 o'clock last night, but as nobody had witnessed the accident the manner in which he was hurt cannot be ascertained. When brought to the La Crosse hospital his clothes were covered with dirt and as he was found in the street it is thought that he was run over by some vehicle. An ambulance was called for and he was removed to the hospital, where it was found that the left side of his face was bruised, his leg was hurt slightly and that there was a gash in his right knee.

Dr. Wolfe is attending the man, who maintains silence on the way in which he met his accident. Asked as to how he was hurt he will say nothing, and as no one saw him injured nothing can be found out.

## BECKEMEYER ADMITS ACCEPTING A BRIBE

WASHINGTON, Aug. 8.—Further details of the alleged corrupt legislation in Illinois were from H. J. Beckemeyer, former state representative, under cross-examination by Judge Haney. Lorimer's attorney before the senate investigating committee today, Beckemeyer asserted that no one ever suggested to him that unless White's testimony was corroborated, he was not to be believed. He said he asked State's Attorney Wayman not to interrupt him unless Mrs. Beckemeyer got out of the East St. Louis hospital.

"When Browne offered you the \$1,000 Lorimer money, you were surprised and had to be urged to take it, didn't you?" asked Haney. "Yes, I didn't want to take it at first, but I did accept it after a little urging."

The senate Lorimer investigating committee will adjourn its present series of hearings tomorrow, not to convene until again October unless by Chairman Dillingham (Rep., Vt.) this afternoon. Former State Representative Daniel W. Holtslaw of Iuka, Ill., followed State Representative H. J. C. Beckemeyer on the stand today. He said he received \$2,500 for voting for Lorimer from State Senator Broderick.

## WAYWARD GIRLS MISSING

RACINE, Wis., Aug. 8.—The police are hunting for Mamie Smith and May Klespe, two alleged wayward girls, but 15 years of age, who, it is said, disappeared from the Central Association home last Saturday and left for parts unknown instead of going home as they are said to have promised. They are supposed to be in Milwaukee.

## HOLE DUG UP FOR EXHIBIT AT TRIAL

LOS ANGELES, Cal., Aug. 8.—The hole in the lawn of the home of Gen. Otis will be one of the exhibits at the trial of the McNamaras for the Times dynamiting. The attorneys for the defense today dug up the hole and carted it away to their offices, where it will be kept until the trial. This hole was made by the bomb exploded outside the Otis residence a few hours after the Times explosion. The McNamara attorneys will try to prove that there was not enough force in this bomb to have done any damage.

When the hole was dug up, enough dirt was taken with it to prevent the hole from falling apart.

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## HEAT-DANGERS FOR CHILDREN

The little folks do not stand the heat as well as their elders, and special care should be taken to keep them in good physical condition. One of the things to be especially watchful of is the condition of the bowels, which presents many dangers hardly dreamed of by parents. When the child shows a tendency to constipation, it loses appetite, complains of headaches, it fails to sleep well and awake refreshed, and it manifests itself in many different ways. Whatever the cause and whatever the manifestation the mother may be sure of removing the trouble with a few doses of Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin, which should always be kept in the house for emergency. It is sold in two sizes, 50 cents and \$1.00, and can be obtained of any druggist. Those who have never used it and wish to make a test of it before buying, can obtain a FREE SAMPLE BOTTLE by addressing

DR. W. B. CALDWELL, 400 Caldwell Bldg., Monticello, Ill.

## MAY GET STATE IN OWN NET

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BEEN CAUGHT AND ARE HELD THEREIN BY REASON OF THE FALLING OF THE WATER, and deposit all such small fish and minnows in THE WATERS OF THE MISSISSIPPI RIVER, or distribute them in other waters of the state of Wisconsin as he shall deem proper and best for the interest of the state."

## An Omission

It may have been a mere accident that in compiling the game laws a "note" referring to the above statute has omitted such portions as are alleged to be violated by the commission. This "note," on page 191 of the 1909 pamphlet, is as follows:

"Note—Chapter 428, laws of 1909, creates section 1498v and 1498w of the statutes. Section 1498v requires the commissioner of fisheries to remove small fish and minnows from land-locked sloughs, bays, lakes and bayous adjacent to the Mississippi river and distribute them in other waters of the state."

Observe the omission of the clause, "which may have been caught and are held there by falling water," and the words "in the waters of the Mississippi," from the enumeration of the ways in which the minnows may be disposed of.

It is of interest here to again note the decision of the attorney general Jan. 27, 1909, as to the state's jurisdiction over seining, as follows: "Persons who fish with nets upon the Wisconsin side of the main channel of the Mississippi river are necessarily required to obtain a license to fish from the Wisconsin authorities, and to fish on the Minnesota side of the main channel must conform to the Minnesota laws."

From the foregoing it seems apparent that if employees of either the United States fisheries commission (the Curlew) or the state fisheries commission (the Water Witch) are seining game fish in the state of Wisconsin and anywhere east of the center of the Mississippi channel, excepting where such fish are taken in "bays, bayous and land-locked waters," which "have been caught and are held there by falling water," they are violating the state game laws and are subject to arrest.

## Tribune Investigates

A representative of The Tribune has investigated the methods used by the state commission in catching bass minnows for interior Wisconsin lakes, and those used by the U. S. steamer Curlew in securing bass fingerlings for shipment throughout the United States, as completely as could be done in a day's trip to Genoa on the river. In a nutshell it appears that the work is not being pursued with the intent to the rescue of land-locked bass, but with the intent to get as many bass as possible for shipment. The result is disastrous to Mississippi fishing.

## Where Our Bass Go

An example of what is being done is shown in an article published July 27 in the Minocqua Times, published on Lake Minocqua, Wis. It is as follows:

"Tuesday the Badger fish car arrived in the village with 20,000 fish fry for the Minocqua lake. The bass fry were planted the same day."

"Tuesday in a statement issued by R. E. Hoover of the Pleasant View livery, he says the planting of the fry means the return of better fishing. His statements:

"Through the splendid efforts of James Nevins, state superintendent of fisheries, 20,000 large and small mouth bass of sufficient size to secure their own protection, have been planted in our lake. It is a commendable act and should be appreciated by our citizens. These bass were caught in the Mississippi waters and are from three to four inches long and were received in splendid shape. Further I earnestly believe in this good work, and should be supported and aided in every respect by our town people. In view of the fact that every officer is doing his duty in protecting the game and fish and the good work of the fish commission, we should again in the

## NOTICE TO CREDITORS

State of Wisconsin—In Probate—La Crosse County Court.

In the matter of the estate of Fred A. Wenzel, late of the City of La Crosse, in said County, deceased. Letters of administration in said matter having been granted to Fred P. Wenzel, of La Crosse, Wisconsin, notice is hereby given that six months after the 7th day of August, A. D. 1911, are allowed to creditors to present their claims against said deceased for examination and allowance; and that said Court will on the 20th day of February, A. D. 1912, at 10 o'clock A. M. of said day, in the Court Room of said Court in the Court House in the City of La Crosse, in said County, examine and adjust all claims and demands of all persons against said deceased.

Dated this 7th day of August, 1911.

By the Court,  
 JOHN BRINDLEY,  
 County Judge.

JAMES THOMPSON,  
 Attorney for Estate.

Anyhow, they can't run the "scratched" line through your motor until the wagon backs up!

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 Our statement that you can get no better jewelry in town than from us may strike you as mere vaunting of our own wares. All we ask is a comparative examination. After that you can select for yourselves. We fully believe that we can satisfy you in every particular and would be glad to have you call and see what we have to offer.

**R. BRAUN**  
 818 Pearl Street, La Crosse

## near future have the famous fishing that this country is noted for.

Doubtless the Minocqua shipment was one of five cars that have been shipped from Genoa during the past two or three weeks. There will be no exultation along the Mississippi river over the Times' declaration that Minocqua lake will "in the near future have the famous fishing that this country is noted for." Of course, at the expense of "the famous fishing for which the Mississippi has been noted."

## Where Has Curlew Seined

The Curlew seems to have done little fishing, if any at all, in the territory from La Crosse to Winona, to which its permit limits its privileges. That it has been busy down the river was asserted to The Tribune's representative, but direct evidence as to its operations could not be secured in a single day's investigation.

Irrespective of the legality of the operations of the "Water Witch," the state commission's boat working south of La Crosse, the investigation made by this newspaper shows that they are devastating in their character so far as Mississippi river fishing is concerned, and that they constitute a grave injustice to the people of the river section. WHAT WOULD RESIDENTS AROUND LAKE MINOCQUA THINK WERE THE STATE COMMISSION TO SEIN THE GAME FISH OUT OF THAT LAKE AND PUT THEM IN THE MISSISSIPPI RIVER?

## Belong to River

The fish in the land-locked waters bordering on the Mississippi rightly belong in the river. If the commission is to rescue them, and the state wants to be fair, the commission should RESTORE THEM TO THE MISSISSIPPI.

## A Bad Method

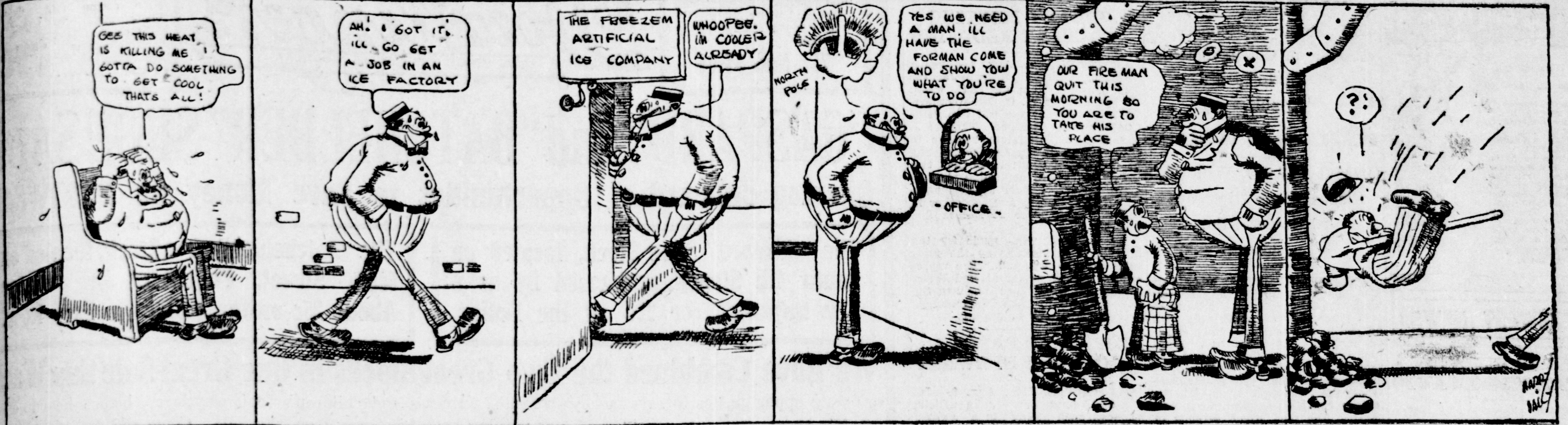
One method employed by the state commission that must tend to bad work is the buying of fish from individuals at so much per thousand. The price paid is \$5 per thousand. We found that it was the habit of the commission's employees to send a man out with one of these private crews for a day or two, and let them go it alone. Naturally these men, when the commission's officers are absent, take the minnows in the open river or wherever they can get them, their only interest being to get as many thousands, and so as many dollars as possible.

## Wasteful Ways

This hiring of irresponsible parties may also be all or in part responsible for another bad practice, which seems a violation of the law. Not only is it a fact that no man could be found, even among those who have worked for the commission, who ever saw either the Curlew or Water Witch crews put a bass back in the Mississippi, but thousands of coarse fish, having commercial value and furnishing the occupation of professional fishermen, have been dumped from the nets and left to die. It can be readily understood how men selling bass at \$5 per thousand, with no remuneration for restoring other fish to the river, would find little incentive to spend their time in restoring such fish as the commission would not receive and pay for.



# EXTRA! BEN'S GONE CRAZY WITH THE HEAT--HELP!! BY HARRY DALLY



## TRIBUNE WANTS

### HELP WANTED--MALE

**WANTED**—Can qualify in few weeks for positions waiting. Previous experience necessary. Learn the barber trade. See the man in column for barbers needed. Tools given. Catalogue free. Moler Barber College, Milwaukee, Wis. 7 21 tf

**WANTED**—Painters and paper hangers at B. L. Johnson, 607 Main. 8 8 12

**WANTED**—Physician registered in the state to travel in Wisconsin under our name. Single man preferred. Must have good habits. Good salary. Address Res Bros. & Co., Minneapolis, Minn. 8 7 12

**WANTED**—Two first class tool and die makers; no other need apply. Apply superintendent of the Votterberger Co. 7 25 tf

### HELP WANTED--FEMALE

**WANTED**—Girl at 1420 Cass. 8 4 tf

**WANTED**—Girl, 216 N. 4th. 6 20 tf

**WANTED**—Dining room girls and dishwashers at Northwestern hotel. 8 8 10

**WANTED**—Apprentices and makers at Miss Hart, 423 Main. 8 8 10

**WANTED**—Competent girl for general housework. Apply 319 South Fourteenth. 8 8 9

**WANTED**—Second girl, 131 South Fifteenth street. 8 7 tf

**WANTED**—Two first class waiters at the Cafe, 412 Main. 7 14 tf

**WANTED**—Nurse girl, 320 South 17th street. 8 5 10

**WANTED**—Girl, Germania hotel. 7 14 tf

### FOR SALE

**FOR SALE**—Young horse, well broke. 723 Ferry street. 8 5 8

**FOR SALE**—House and barn, 1603 Johnson street. 8 5 25

**FOR SALE**—No. 2 Premo 4x5 camera, plate or film, tripod, film pack holder, 4 plate holders, splendid lens, leather carrying case, worth \$40; will sell for \$20. New phone 1202-R, or 561-M. 7 11 tf

**FOR SALE**—Cheap, eleven horse power stationary gas engine. B. Ott & Son. 4 24 tf

**FOR SALE**—Oak chiffonier, rug, Wilcox & Gibbs sewing machine, quilted stretchers, quilting frame, small iron bed and springs, ladies' desk and other household goods. 108 South Fifth. 8 7 12

**FOR SALE**—Horse, wagon, counter, three tailors' tables, computing stand and brick cheese cutters, automatic oil tank. 928 Johnson St. 8 2 tf

**FOR SALE**—Second hand lumber. La Crosse Construction Co., Ninth and Green Bay. 6 12 tf

**FOR SALE**—Cheap, nine room house, eight acres land, barns, sheds, etc., in Viroqua, Wis. Lights, water, telephone. On two streets. Everything first class. Crops with place. Will take house and lot in La Crosse as part payment. Inquire A. G. Hauge, Webb Barber Shop. 8 7 12

**FOR SALE**—Cheap, organ. Inquire 422 South Fourth. 8 9 12

**FOR SALE**—Household goods. 527 King street. 8 7 tf

**FOR SALE**—Six acres of land in city limits; improved, with good house and barns. At bargain now. Apply 1322 Market. 7 31 8 12

**FOR SALE**—A carpet machine, cheap, at 417 Berlin. 8 7 10

**FOR SALE**—Soda fountain, reasonable. Baltimore Restaurant. 7 29 & 25

### Accidents Happen



## TRIBUNE WANTS

### FOR SALE

**FOR SALE**—One new 2 h. p. Detroit Perfection motor equipped with Hydrex exhaust, silencer, carburettor, timer, 6 feet of shafting, 2 fluke bronze wheel, one 5 gallon galvanized iron gasoline tank with patent strainer, 10 feet of copper tubing with brass stop cock at each end, one Perfection coil and batteries in waterproof case. Outfit originally cost \$65, will sell for \$50. A. F. care of Tribune.

**FOR SALE OR RENT**—110 acre farm near Mound Prairie; 80 acres under plow. All buildings in good condition. Also 160 acre farm 4 miles from Bangor, 60 acres under plow. Good buildings, all in good condition. Call old phone 6794. 1433 Badger. 6 23 tf

**FOR SALE**—Eight room house with lot; good condition. Also two lots. Cheap for cash. Call 1609 South Tenth, after six. 8 8 14

**FOR SALE**—Pony and buggy. Twenty-first & Farnam. 8 8 12

**FOR RENT**—Flats, centrally located, 119-121 South Third. 8 8 11

**FOR SALE**—A few S. C. Rhode Island Red chickens. Imported from Tennessee. Call on Paul Hicks, French Island. 8 8 10

**FOR SALE**—Seven room cottage. 1433 Badger. 6 23 tf

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**FOR RENT**—Modern room, private. 414 Cameron. 8 2 tf

**FOR RENT**—Suite of furnished rooms with private bath, board. 222 South Eighth. 7 27 tf

**FOR RENT**—Very desirable furnished rooms. 308 North 7th. 8 29 tf

**FOR RENT**—Aug. 1, 5 room modern flat, city water, gas and electric light. Call A. M. Goldin, 430 La Crosse street. Both phones. 7 27 tf

**FOR RENT**—Modern furnished room. 228 South Seventh. 8 2 8

**FOR RENT**—House, 1109 Logan street. Inquire of Joseph Boschert, at National Bank of La Crosse. 7 31 tf

### Cottage For Rent

At RIVERSIDE CAMP

Call H. Johnson, New 14.

### FOR RENT

**FOR RENT**—Nicely furnished front room, private family; gentleman preferred. New phone 1194-C. 8 7 9

**FOR RENT**—Suite rooms, strictly modern; one single, with sleeping porch. 214 South Seventh. 6 19 tf

**FOR RENT**—Furnished rooms, all modern; second floor Tribune. 8 2 tf

**FOR RENT**—Furnished rooms, 516 Division. 8 3 9

**FOR RENT**—Rooms, second floor. 510 Main street. Inquire 514 Main street. 7 19 tf

### MISCELLANEOUS

**WANTED TO BUY**—Second hand floor show case. Ida M. Potter, West Salem, Wis. 8 4 10

**WANTED TO RENT**—Office space down town by young man; must be cheap. State price, location and what conveniences. Address 406 Box, care of Tribune. 8 8 8

**WANTED**—Everybody to know that we put tires on baby carriages. Otto Gudenschwager, 603 Main St. 7 26 & 8

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### Funeral Directors

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**ANDREW ROTH**—Successor to Schick & Roth. Architect and superintendent, La Crosse, Wis.

### Real Estate FOR RENT

2 rooms, ground floor, 311 King street.

2 brick stores with dwelling room above, 1812 State St., each ..... \$15.00

City heated flat, Fourth and Cass streets.

### FOR SALE

Lot 92x150 feet, northwest corner Madison and 19th St., at a bargain.

Three acres of garden land, well fertilized, 24 Green Bay St., \$900.

A fine residence on South Tenth, between King and Cass. Inquire at office.

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### COMPARATIVE MARKETS

These quotations show the general trend of prices for the previous week

### LIVE STOCK YESTERDAY.

**UNION STOCK YARDS, Aug. 7.**—Hogs—Receipts 35,000; market strong; good heavy \$6.85 to \$7.60; rough heavy \$6.55 to \$7.50; light \$6.55 to \$6.85; pigs \$6.95 to \$7.60. Cattle—Receipts 34,000; market steady; beefs \$5.00 to \$7.50; cows and heifers \$2.15 to \$6.00; stockers and feeders \$3.00 to \$5.50; Texas \$4.50 to \$6.15; calves \$5.50 to \$7.75. Sheep—Receipts 35,000; market steady; native \$2.25 to \$3.85; western \$2.50 to \$3.85; lambs \$3.75 to \$6.85; western \$4.25 to \$6.90.

### LIVESTOCK A WEEK AGO

**UNION STOCK YARDS, Aug. 1.**—Hogs—Receipts 14,000; market slow to lower; mixed and butchers \$6.70 to \$7.35; good heavy \$6.70 to \$7.30; rough heavy \$6.40 to \$6.70; light \$6.75 to \$7.45; pigs \$5.10 to \$7.10. Cattle—Receipts 4,000; market steady; beefs \$5.00 to \$7.25; cows and heifers \$2.10 to \$5.85; stockers and feeders \$3.00 to \$5.35; Texas \$4.40 to \$6.10; calves \$5.50 to \$7.75. Sheep—Receipts 18,000; market weak; native \$2.50 to \$4.00; western \$2.60 to \$4.00; lambs \$3.75 to \$6.65; western \$4.25 to \$6.90.

### WHEAT

July	87 1/2	87 1/2
Sept.	90	89 1/2

**CORN**

July	62 1/2	62 1/2
Sept.	63 1/2	63 1/2

**OATS**

July	39 1/2	38 1/2
Sept.	41	40 1/2

That person has met with the divine on earth who has found one true friend.

The path of error is paved with our own delusions and hedged in with silly misconceptions.

## DAILY MARKETS

### FLOUR HIGHER

The price of flour has advanced 20c a barrel. Potatoes are a little cheaper than before. Otherwise there is not much change in the local markets.

(Quoted by John C. Burns)

Oranges, 112-126-250 ..... \$4.50  
Oranges, 150-150-176-200-216 ..... \$4.75 to \$4.85  
Oranges, Valencia, 96-126 ..... \$4.50  
Lemons, 30-360, box \$4.50 to \$5.00  
Bananas, bunch ..... \$1.25 to \$2.00  
Walnut dates, box ..... \$1.10  
Persian dates, pound ..... 5 1/2 c  
Celery ..... 20 to 25c  
Watermelons ..... 25c  
Cantaloupes ..... 5c and 10c  
Red Raspberries, crate ..... \$2 to \$2.50  
Black Raspberries, crate ..... \$1.75 to \$2.25  
Potatoes, new, bushel ..... \$1.25  
Peaches, per box ..... \$1.25  
Plums, Calif., crate \$1.50 to \$2.00  
Prunes, crate ..... \$2.00  
Pears ..... \$3.00 to \$3.25  
Apples, per bbl. ..... \$1.50

### Flour and Feed.

(Quoted by the Listman Milling Co.)  
Patent, barrel ..... \$5.50  
Straight, barrel ..... \$5.30

### Mill Feed.

(Prices do not include sacks.)  
Bran, per ton ..... \$24.00  
Shorts, per ton ..... \$25.00  
White middlings, per ton ..... \$28.00  
Red Dog, per ton ..... \$29.00

### Livestock.

(By Langdon & Boyd Packing Co.)  
Hogs ..... \$6.00 to \$6.50  
Helfers ..... \$2.50 to \$4.50  
Lamb ..... \$4.00 to \$5.00  
Sheep ..... \$2.50 to \$3.50  
Dressed hogs ..... \$9.50  
Steers ..... \$3.50 to \$5.00  
Cows ..... \$2.00 to \$4.25

### Poultry

Chickens, old, pound ..... 9 to 10c  
Spring chickens ..... 15c  
Turkeys, pound ..... 15c  
Geese, pound ..... 9c  
Ducks, pound ..... 10c

### Provisions.

Lard, per pound ..... 9 1/2 to 10 1/2 c  
Hams ..... 15 1/2 c  
Shoulders ..... 12c  
Bacon ..... 15 to 19c  
Dry beef ..... 18 1/2 to 21c

### Hides and Raw Fnd.

(Quoted by La Crosse Fur & Hide Company.)  
No. 1 cured cows, heifers and steers ..... 9 to 9 1/2 c  
No. 1 cured bulls ..... 6 1/2 to 7c  
No. 1 green, cows, heifers and steers ..... 7 to 7 1/2 c  
No. 1 green, bulls ..... 6 1/2 to 7c  
No. 1 cured veal calf ..... 13 1/2 to 14c  
No. 1 green, veal calf ..... 10 to 12c  
No. 1 green, veal kip ..... 8 to 9c  
Mink prime ..... \$3.00 to \$7.00  
Skunk, prime ..... \$1.00 to \$5.50  
Muskrats, prime ..... 25 to 35c  
Raccoon, prime ..... \$1.00 to \$3.00

### Grain.

(Quoted by Thomas-Phalon Co.)  
Wheat ..... \$0.80 to 90c  
Rye ..... .63 to .67c  
Barley ..... .60 to .70c  
Corn ..... .58 to .60c  
Oats ..... .43 to .45c

### Hay and Wood.

(Quoted by City Scales.)  
Hay, tame, per ton ..... \$15 to \$18  
Wild hay, per ton ..... \$12 to \$13  
Wood, per cord ..... \$6.00

### Butter and Eggs.

(Quoted by Hawley Com. Co.)  
Creamery butter, pound ..... 27c  
Dairy butter, pound ..... 22c  
Eggs, fresh, dozen ..... 17c  
Eggs, seconds, dozen ..... 14c

### Cheese.

(Quoted by Ice Cream & Butter Co.)  
Full cream twins ..... 16c  
Full cream Young America ..... 16c  
Full cream daisies ..... 16c  
Full cream brick ..... 15c  
Full cream Limburger ..... 14 to 16c  
Full cream Swiss ..... 18c  
Full cream block Swiss (5 and 6 to box, weighing 25 to 35 pounds) ..... 16c  
Creamery butter, per lb. ..... 27c

### RETAIL MARKETS.

(Quoted by J. A. Goodrich.)  
Green onions, 3 bunches ..... 5c  
Beets, bunch ..... 2 for 5c  
Dairy butter, pound ..... 27c  
Creamery butter, pound ..... 30c  
Eggs, dozen ..... 20c  
Parsley, bunch ..... 5c  
Cabbage, each ..... 5 to 10c  
Green peppers, each ..... 5c  
Wax beans, pound ..... 10c  
New turnips, bunch ..... 2 for 5c  
Spinach, stalk ..... 5c  
Celery, stalk ..... 10 and 20c  
Pineapples ..... 10 and 20c  
Bermuda onions, pound ..... 8c  
Radishes, bunch ..... 2 for 5c

## DOMESTIC MARKETS

### New York Stocks

**NEW YORK, Aug. 8.**—A nervous tone was shown at the opening of the stock market today and although prices in some cases were above yesterday's close the improvement was soon lost.

11 a. m.—After recessions following the opening prices held firm with net changes generally in the shape of fractional gains over yesterday's close.

Governments unchanged; other bonds dull.

Noon—A heavy tone prevailed after the first hour, with prices of nearly all the important issues at midday showing losses of a point or more from the highest range in the early trading.

2 p. m.—The market became unsettled in the afternoon, prices of nearly all the important issues joining in a sharp decline.

The stock market closed firm.

### New York Money

**NEW YORK, Aug. 8.**—Money on call 2 1/2 c.

Time money 3 1/2 c for 6 mo.

Bar silver: London 24 1-16 d.; New York 52 1/4 c.

Demand sterling 4.86 10.

### Kansas City Livestock

**KANSAS CITY, Mo., Aug. 8.**—Cattle—Receipts 11,000; market steady to strong; steers \$5.00 to \$7.20; cows and heifers \$2.50 to \$6.90; stockers and feeders \$3.25 to \$5.50; calves \$4.00 to \$7.00.

Hogs—Receipts 7,000; market 5 to 10c higher; bulk \$7.50 to \$7.65; heavy \$7.50 to \$7.70; medium \$7.40 to \$7.65; light \$7.05 to \$7.40.

Sheep—Receipts 3,000; market 5 to 10c higher; lambs \$5.00 to

Cucumbers ..... 5c to 8c

Green apples, peck ..... 25c

Lettuce, bunch ..... 5c

Cauliflower, each ..... 5c

Fresh mushrooms ..... 75c

Head lettuce ..... 10 to 15c

New potatoes, peck ..... 40c

Tomatoes, pound ..... 10c

Red Raspberries ..... 10c

Sour Cherries ..... 10c

Green corn, dozen ..... 12 to 12c

Blackberries ..... 15c

Blue berries ..... 18c

Observations taken at 8 a. m., seven-day maximum time.

Increases, or decreases lines, pass through points of equal air pressure.

Clouds, or dotted lines, pass through points of equal air pressure.

Arrows fly with the wind. First zero, minimum temperature for past 24 hours; second, 24-hour rainfall; if it is equal in inches.

third, wind velocity of 10 miles per hour or more.

In the following table the column marked (Lo) shows the low est temperature last night.

shows the highest yesterday and (P) shows the precipitation in the last 24 hours.

	(Lo)	(Hi)	(P)		(Lo)	(Hi)	(P)
Atlantic City	68	78	0	Chicago	70	82	0
Boston	62	70	0	La Crosse	60	70	0
Charleston	74	90	.18	Madison	62	84	0
New York	68	76	0	Memphis	68	90	0
Washington	72	78	0	Minneapolis	68	90	0
Galveston	80	88	0	Bismarck	78	78	.58
Jacksonville	72	82	.26	Huron	80	82	.02
New Orleans	78	84	0	Kansas City	74	94	0

### Chicago Livestock

**UNION STOCK YARDS, Aug. 8.**—Hogs—Receipts 14,000; market higher; mixed and butchers \$6.90 to \$7.65; good heavy \$6.95 to \$7.60; rough heavy \$6.65 to \$6.95; light \$7.05 to \$7.70; pigs \$5.90 to \$7.50.

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### Chicago Produce

**CHICAGO, Aug. 8.**—Butter—Extras 26c; firsts 24c; dairy extras 21c; firsts 20c.

Eggs—Prime firsts 17 1/2 c; firsts 15 1/2 c.

Cheese—Twins 12 1/2 to 13c;

Young Americas 12 1/2 to 13c.

Potatoes—New \$4.00 to \$4.25.

Live Poultry—Fowls 12 to 12 1/2 c;

spring chicks 15 1/2 c; ducks 13 to 13 1/2 c; geese 8 to 9c.

### Chicago Cash Grain

**CHICAGO, Aug. 8.**—Cash grain: Wheat—No. 2 red 89 1/2 to 90c; No. 3 red 87 1/2 to 89c; No. 2 hard 89 1/2 to 91c; No. 3 hard 88 to 91c.

Corn—No. 2 white 67 1/2 to 67 3/4 c; No. 2 yellow 64 1/2 to 64 3/4 c; No. 3, 64 to 64 1/2 c; No. 3 white 66 1/2 to 67c; No. 3 yellow 64 1/2 to 64 3/4 c; No. 4, 63 1/2 to 63 3/4 c; No. 4 white 64 1/2 to 64 3/4 c; No. 4 yellow 63 1/2 to 64c.

Oats—No. 3 white 39 1/2 to 40c; standard 40 1/2 to 40 3/4 c.





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## NORTHWEST NEWS

## WOMAN IS HURLED TO DEATH FROM AUTO

RED WING, Minn., Aug. 8.—Mrs. Ole Jensen, 56 years old, was instantly killed in an auto accident in Roscoe township. The car was being driven by Oscar Christopherson and his sister, Mrs. Ed Nord, occupied the front seat with him. Knute Haugen and Mrs. Jensen were in the rear seat.

The driver was going at a twenty-mile-an-hour rate of speed, it is said, and after going down a long grade crossed a bridge, when Mrs. Jensen was thrown off her seat. She was holding some glass jars in her hands, and evidently lost her balance. She fell across the rear door.

Christopherson looked around and lost control of the machine, which ran down a steep embankment, striking two telephone poles which were set side by side. The impact of the car broke one pole off near the ground and splintered the other.

Mrs. Jensen was thrown out, and her neck was broken, death being almost instantaneous. Mrs. Nord was thrown against the wind shield, and her hands and one leg were cut and bruised. The driver and Mr. Haugen were unhurt.

## BERRY PICKERS STRIKE

MARQUETTE, Wis., Aug. 8.—A unique strike is in progress in the Dead river country, north of Ishpeming. The blueberry pickers have rebelled. The buyers of the fruit have cut the price to \$2 a bushel. This is a reduction of 50 cents and the pickers refuse to accept it. The berries collected by the buyers have been hauled into town and sold to shippers, the latter having been forced to make a similar reduction. The pickers are still at work, but are storing their berries. They have perfected an organization, and unless the former price is restored propose to ship to commission houses direct.

## KILLS WIFE AND SELF

FARIBAULT, Minn., Aug. 8.—A double murder occurred here at 4 o'clock yesterday morning when Thomas K. Talbot shot his wife through the temple and neck, killing her instantly; then turned the gun on himself and fired two shots, one taking effect in the temple and the other at the base of the neck, after which he took a razor and cut his throat from ear to ear.

You can get off a lot of way stations before you reach the jumping off place!

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SEPT. 4 TO 9

## TRANSCONTINENT ROAD NEAR HERE

Will Enter Wisconsin at Prairie du Chien; Crosses the State to Milwaukee  
**RUN BRANCH TO LA CROSSE**  
Official Signs Will Be Placed Along Highways as Guide to the Autoists

PRAIRIE DU CHIEN, Wis., Aug. 8.—(Special.)—During the next few weeks the best road from this city to Milwaukee, by way of Madison, will be picked out and uniformly marked as a part of a transcontinental highway for automobile travel. At this point it will be connected by means of excellent ferry facilities across the Mississippi river with the famous North Iowa pike, an incomparably fine road which extends in almost a straight line from McGregor, opposite this city, to Canton, S. D., through such towns as New Hampton, Charles City, Mason City, Clear Lake, Spencer and Sheldon. From Canton well kept roads with almost perfect grades extend to Mitchell and Chamberlain, S. D., whence one may go by the best and most direct routes to all northwestern points.

The official sign of the road across Iowa which is to join the Wisconsin road here is a white band twenty inches wide with a red stripe six inches in width around it, painted on telephone poles at intervals along the way. It is the intention to make this the distinctive marking of the Wisconsin part of the road as well.

M. C. Moore of Milwaukee, publisher of the Wisconsin Motorist, is being consulted with regard to the plans for the big east and west road and Malcolm MacKinnon of Des Moines, who has been active in the promotion of Iowa good roads, is advising what steps to take. It is planned to send a pathfinding car on a week or ten days trip to make observations as to the best route and for the further purpose of meeting the good roads people along the line.

Mr. MacKinnon says his touring experience leads him to believe that the establishment of a road from Milwaukee to "South Dakota along the route proposed will result in much of the tourist travel now missing Wisconsin altogether going to and from Chicago by way of Milwaukee and Madison and crossing the river at this place instead of at Clinton and Davenport as at present.

This town is fully alive to the advantage of having such a route, as it will bring more people through here and cause a more widespread understanding and appreciation of the scenic beauty and historic interest of this vicinity.

In Iowa the route of the road between McGregor and New Hampton has not been finally fixed. The old military ridge road, by way of Calmar, Ossian and Postville, is one of the candidates. Another is West Union with the suggestion that the route from New Hampton be by way of Williamstown, Fredericksburg, West Union, Clermont and Postville and then by the military road to Monona and McGregor. Also West Union proposes a route for a branch toward Dubuque, leaving the pike at West Union and reaching Manchester on the Hawkeye highway by way of Strawberry Point. Elkader, however, asserts that the road, if through West Union, should reach McGregor by way of Elkader; also that Elkader is the proper point for the Dubuque branch to start, reaching the Hawkeye highway at Dyersville, by way of Petersberg, Decorah, meantime, is thinking of a branch of the pike to La Crosse, Wis., leaving the main road at Calmar. Also a scenic road east from Decorah to Waukon and Lansing is planned.

## WISCONSIN NEWS

## BOUNDARY MEETING TO BE AT RED WING

MADISON, Wis., Aug. 8.—Deputy Attorney General Russell Jackson has returned from St. Paul, where he and Senator W. C. Owen conferred with Attorney General George T. Simpson and Senator Thomas J. Kneeland of Minnesota relative to the time and place for the meeting of the joint committee of the two states which will determine the two questions of boundary disagreement, one in Lake Pepin and the other in the St. Louis river at Duluth and Superior.

Arrangement was made for the holding of a meeting by the joint committee on Aug. 29. The representatives will gather at Red Wing, Minn., and from there go down the river by boat to Lake Pepin and go over the territory in dispute.

## DESPERATE FARMER CAUGHT IN SWAMP

MARINETTE, Wis., Aug. 8.—Jacob Goll, emulator of John Dietz, who has been hiding in a swamp near Crivitz five days after defying officers, is under arrest at Crivitz. It is reported that Goll offered to settle all damages, expenses and paid a fine and costs before Justice Theodore Kersten. Tony Popke, who helped Goll escape and was sentenced to ninety days in the workhouse, was liberated on Monday on habeas corpus proceedings because of an error in commitment. Mrs. Goll is still held at the county jail for trial.

## 86 ON ELIGIBLE LIST

MADISON, Wis., Aug. 8.—(Special.)—Announcement of the results of the competitive examinations for general clerks in the state service, held on June 24, is made by the civil service commission. Out of 200 persons who wrote, 86 names have been chosen for the eligible list.

The five standing highest are: William M. Duffus, Madison; Jessie F. Dahlen, Lake Mills; Mayme Miller, Gaslyn; Anna C. Wald, Madison; Laura E. Carter, Mauston. The eligible list is considered by the commission as one of the best ever chosen.

The following appointments have recently been made from former eligible lists: Nellie Cameron, Madison, stenographer; Ollie Walker, Peshtigo, fireman at the Mendota state hospital.

## SOCIALISTS WILL CONVENE

MILWAUKEE, Wis., Aug. 8.—There will be 500 socialists from all parts of the country in Milwaukee on Saturday and Sunday to attend the national congress or conference of socialist officials of the country. The convention will bring together all office holders of the party, and all modern political questions of general interest will be discussed. The conference was called by the national committee, and Milwaukee was selected that the comrades might have the opportunity of studying the "Milwaukee idea" at close range.

## MUSCODA LOSS \$50,000

MUSCODA, Wis., Aug. 8.—Investigation shows that the fire which on Sunday threatened Muscoda caused a loss of \$50,000. The following buildings were destroyed: Zindel Bros., hardware; J. H. Rasque, furniture; J. P. Heffner, saloon; Huppler & Postel, meat market; Vactor Bros., farm implements; J. F. Zachek, barber shop; Henry Smith, blacksmith, and the Muscoda Marble and Granite works.

Malcolm MacKinnon of Des Moines on behalf of the North Iowa Pike association at their formal request, will inspect all the contending routes within a few days.

## Long Silk Gloves

Just received "Kayser" long black and white, 12 and 16 button pure silk gloves at per pair—

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Fine cotton fast dyed, black pants, made either tight or French hand. Regular 25c value, at only

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The "Gaspard" Shoe Stock, located on South 4th Street, purchased by us a Few Days Ago for 33c on the Dollar.

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## We Have Combined the Two Great Stocks in One Great Sale this Week

offering opportunities to save money on men's, women's and children's footwear never before heard of, quality and assortments considered. Let nothing keep you away from this sale. Come and see the assortments, examine the quality and note the prices. You'll simply be amazed.

## Men's Dress Shoes

Fine highest grade, button or lace, high or low cut, patent leather, gun metal, vici kid, tan calf, various styles, high or round toe, medium and narrow toe lasts. All sizes and widths in such well known brands as "Walker and Whitman," "Manss Mfg. Co." and several more. All are genuine \$3.50 to \$5.00 values. Priced special for this big sale, per pair

\$2.48

## Boys' School Shoes

Just the thing for school shoes, made of best selected tan calf skin, also some patent leathers. Good range of sizes, regularly priced at \$1.75 and \$2.00. Specially priced for this great sale at the extreme low price, per pair

98c

## Children's Shoes

In this lot you'll find the season's new and dressy lasts in dress shoes, either lace or button; patent leather, with cloth tops, tan tops, and fancy stitchings, others black and tan vici kid, hand turned soles, high or low heels, sizes 5 to 8. Values to \$1.25. Special at

59c

Men's Shoes—Heavy and medium weight leathers; patent, vici kid and calf skin; lace or button. All sizes. Values to \$3.00; choice at

\$1.48

Men's Work Shoes—Selected black or tan oil grain, kangaroo and calf skin; various styles. Values to \$2.50; choice at

98c

Boys' School Shoes—Heavy and medium weight, mule skin, calf and vici kid leathers. All sizes, ranging in value to \$2.85. Choice at

98c

Men's Lace Boots—12 and 14 inch tops, in tan or black, at the pair only

\$2.48

## Women's Shoes

This assortment is composed of fine and medium grade shoes and oxfords, made in a variety of styles and leathers. Excellent good wearing, practical shoes. Fair range of sizes and values range up to \$3.50, sale price

98c

## Custom Made Shoes

Ladies' high grade, custom made shoes and oxfords, in patent leather, vici kid and tan Russian calf, various nobby styles, all this season's models, sewed soles and Cuban heels, excellent range of sizes, ranging in value to \$4.00, on sale at the pair only

\$1.98

## Men's Oxfords and Shoes

Dressy lasts, made of fine grade patent leather, vici kid, etc., either oxford or high cut black or tan. Goodyear welt sewed, medium or high heels. Values to \$4.00, special sale price

\$1.98

Shoe Polish, celebrated "Whitmore," "Queen Quality" and "Black Beauty" brands—colored and black Polish—all 25c sellers, at per bottle

15c

Women's Comfort Shoes—Values up to \$2.00, for

98c

Women's Dress Shoes—Oxfords and Pumps, values to \$3.50, in this sale at the pair only

\$1.48

Women's Buskins—Good sizes and values to \$1.50, at

69c

## NEW LAW IS INVOKED

SUPERIOR, Wis., Aug. 8.—The law passed by the last legislature, making the possession of a government liquor license prima facie evidence that liquor is being sold, resulted in the quick conviction of five persons, among them being several restaurant men, who were arraigned here charged with selling liquor without a license. Five pleaded guilty and were fined and two pleaded not guilty.

## SENATOR'S WIFE DROWNED

OCONOMOWOC, Wis., Aug. 8.—State Senator Gallaway of Montana is enroute to this place today following being notified of the death of his wife by drowning. Mrs. Gallaway was a patient at Waldheim sanitarium. Venturing on Oconomowoc lake alone in a rowboat in rough weather she fell into the water and drowned before help came. The body has not been recovered.

## FALL FROM TREE IS FATAL

MILWAUKEE, Wis., Aug. 8.—

Charles Westphal, 67 years old, 1325 Twelfth street, while trimming trees in Union cemetery, fell from a tree a distance of twenty feet on Monday and died shortly after at Emergency hospital. The fall broke three of Westphal's ribs, and they penetrated his lungs. He is survived by a wife, two sons and a daughter.

## GOV. MCGOVERN TO TALK

MADISON, Wis., Aug. 8.—Gov. McGovern on Monday delivered a speech at Cambridge. Thursday afternoon he will speak at Ellsworth, and he has been invited to give an address at Prescott that evening. On Aug. 17 he speaks at Depere, and Aug. 24 at Brodhead. The speeches will be political in character and in defense of an advocating "progressive" republican laws and plans.

## VIROQUA, WIS.

Eight valuable sheep were killed on the Mills' farm near Springville. The culprits are dogs. They do not commit these acts on account of hunger, as the carcasses of sheep are usually found intact, with the exception of prints of teeth at the throat where the canines grab their helpless victims.

Rev. P. D. McCallum, recently resigned as Christian church minister here, has sailed from New York for his home in Australia.

Miss Norma Battles of Retreat, has been visiting here.

Mrs. J. B. Williams and son, David, of Milwaukee, are guests at the home of her cousin, Mrs. F. H. Graves.

Rev. and Mrs. A. E. Hartwell are chaperoning a party of young girls at a camping party near Avalanche.

R. H. Drake drove to Sugar Grove accompanied by his daughter, Miss Edith, and Miss Hattie Thompson.

Geo. Koch drove over from Sylvan and his wife returned home with him.

W. H. Morgan and daughter, Leora drove up from Retreat. Mrs. Morgan and daughter, Miss Alice, who have been visiting at Westby, returned home with him, and Miss Leora went to Westby to be a guest of her aunt, Mrs. Jos. Haughton.

Attorney and Mrs. C. W. Graves have gone to Spring Brook, Washburn county, where they will be at the bungalow of John H. Savage of St. Paul, and where Mr. Graves will perform a few fishing stunts.

Will Shephard has gone to Fennimore.

Mrs. Straw of Eau Claire, is expected here to visit friends.

Mathew Jordan, cheese maker at West Lima, is dead, aged 31 years.

Mrs. M. D. Chase of this city, is quite ill with sciatic rheumatism, at La Farge.

Miss Pearl Larson went to Cash-ton for a visit.

The new Ferryville bank has opened with Fred Copey as cashier.

Ed Vig was a guest of De Soto friends.

Frank Sargent, formerly of this city, is said to be improving in mental condition at Mendota, and writes to relatives in a rational way.

The second auto to be introduced at De Soto is owned by J. W. Morelli and Albert Thompson.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Zytoske, formerly of this city, have become the parents of a daughter, born at a Madison sanitarium. The lady was formerly Miss Blanche Smith, a daughter of N. B. Smith of this city.

Miss Matilda Dannum, who is training to be a nurse, in a Chicago hospital, is a guest of Miss Hazel Shown here.

Miss Gertie Fladen has resigned her position as clerk at the Ostrom & Davidson store, and accepted a similar position for Roman & Felix.

Mrs. L. R. Gott and daughter, Miss Amy, will visit at Dodgeville.

Miss Mary Rusk entertained the bridge club.

Miss Lillian Mithy of Cashton, visited here.

## MCGREGOR, IOWA

Mrs. Bard and daughter of Aurora, Ill., arrived Friday to visit her nephew, D. F. Wolf.

Miss Nuke Riley visited at the home of her mother, Mrs. Katherine Becker, last week.

J. K. Gray transacted business in New Albin and Lansing Saturday.

Will Evans came in from the road to spend Sunday at home.

Miss Erma Lusk came home from Elkader, after a two weeks' visit with her grandparents.

Mrs. Garamonia and children, have returned from their visit in Chicago.

Joe Mott has returned to his home in Dakota.

The funeral of Dr. Plumb was held Friday afternoon. Rev. Lusk officiating. The Masons had charge of the funeral.

Rev. Bowman of Dubuque held services in the German church on Sunday morning.

Miss Nora Carroll visited at the home of her sister, Mrs. Patrick Carroll, on Moody Ridge, Sunday.

Miss Beatrice Beckert and brother, Peter, of Clayton, has been visiting at the home of their sister, Mrs. August Sankey.

Larry Jennings spent Sunday at the home of John Knapp on Pleasant Ridge.

Mrs. Sophia Bloedel went Saturday to spend some time at the Riley home on Moody Ridge.

Gregg of Postville came down on Sunday to pitch the game of ball for the Cubs.

Miss Vella Gephardt is able to be around again after being hurt by a falling timber at Turner's park some time ago.

Charley Cows has been visiting at the home of C. W. Walker.

Raymond Sullivan has been work-

ing at the C. W. Walker insurance office for some time.

Mr. Hans Lee has rented his beautiful residence to Carl Becker.

Wm. Meyer, the fruit man, came in from the road to spend Sunday at home.

Dannie Waytte of Farley, Iowa, is the guest of Fred Phillips.

A large delegation came over from Prairie du Chien Sunday to witness the defeat of the All Stars. The score was 2 to 13 in favor of the Cubs.

Mrs. Katherine Becker and daughter, Augusta, went to Summit Hill to spend some time at the Fred Becker home.

The Frauen Verein gave their second picnic in the park last Wednesday.

Mrs. Monture and daughter left Saturday for their home at St. James, Minn.

## M'CABE MADE TRIP TO FIGHT WILEY

WASHINGTON, Aug. 8.—That Solicitor George P. McCabe, of the department of agriculture, made a trip through the northwest rounding up delegates to the National Dairy-men's convention in August, 1909, to get them to support Secretary Wilson's stand on benzoate of soda, as against the decision of his fellow member of the pure food board, Dr. Harvey W. Wiley, was developed at yesterday's hearing before the house committee on expenditures in the department of agriculture.

Attorney Davis, counsel for Wiley, questioned McCabe. The solicitor said he made the trip at the government's expense at Wilson's order; that the convention passed a resolution supporting Wilson as against Wiley, and that it elected a president known to favor the Remsen board as against the chief chemist.

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\$8.00 Rocker, imitation leather seat, sale price.....\$6.40	\$12.50 American Quartered Chiffonier.....\$9.00	\$20.00 Combination Book Case and Desk.....\$16.50	\$3.50 Springs.....\$2.69
\$10.00 Rocker, imitation leather seat, sale price.....\$8.00	\$10.00 American Quartered Chiffonier.....\$7.98	\$23.00 Combination Book Case and Desk.....\$18.40	\$1.75 Springs.....\$1.29
\$7.00 Rocker, leather seat.....\$5.60	\$12.00 American Quartered Chiffonier.....\$8.75	\$26.00 Combination Book Case and Desk.....\$20.80	\$2.50 Excelsior Mattress.....\$1.79
\$10.00 Rocker, leather seat.....\$8.00	\$15.00 Maple Chiffonier.....\$11.75	\$25.00 Combination Book Case and Desk.....\$20.00	\$3.50 Cotton Top Mattress.....\$2.60
\$16.00 Rocker, leather seat and back, sale price.....\$12.80	\$19.00 Quartered Oak Chiffonier.....\$15.20	\$34.00 Combination Book Case and Desk.....\$27.20	\$4.50 Cotton Top and Bottom Mattress.....\$3.28
\$22.00 Rocker, leather seat and back, sale price.....\$17.60	\$20.00 American Quartered Oak Chiffonier.....\$16.00	\$36.00 Combination Book Case and Desk.....\$28.80	\$5.50 Extra Good Tick and well Tufted Mattress.....\$4.27
\$18.00 Rocker, leather seat and back, sale price.....\$14.00	\$20.00 Quartered Oak Chiffonier.....\$16.00	\$6.00 Writing Desk.....\$4.80	\$6.50 Extra Fine Tick and mostly all Cotton Mattress.....\$5.18
\$21.00 Rocker, leather seat and back, sale price.....\$16.80	\$22.00 Quartered Oak Chiffonier.....\$17.50	\$8.00 Writing Desk.....\$6.40	\$10.00 Cotton Felt Mattress.....\$7.22
\$15.00 Rocker, leather seat and back, sale price.....\$12.00		\$9.00 Writing Desk.....\$7.20	\$12.00 Cotton Felt Mattress.....\$8.79
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